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DEFENSE STATEMENT

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The attorney further stated that Sheep's Ford was a kind of summer resort frequented by persons in the neighborhood who wanted to fish. by the defense today. He testified as Mr. Redmon said that on the night follows: before the shooting Clevenger, Mr-Myers and Mr Yack went to the river left for Wichita, Kausas, and has not to fish. Sunday morning Clevenger been seen since. At that time I lived drove to Oakley and returned and un- in Moultrie county and afterward hitched his horse without seeing any-) worked at Casner. Last year I farmed one pass his tent. Near the log where the Flor farm and lived in a tent. the couple were scatted was another After my crops had been put in I log which marked the place where moved my tent to the Myers place. Clevenger had put finishing lines in Became acquainted with Myers girl the river. He went from his house to three years ago. 1 met Telford at the the river to look at his fishing lines house of Myers when we talked toand the first he knew of Telford and gether. About June 20 met him again, the girl being together in the woods when he accused me of coming to the was when he heard Telford as he arose Myers place to see if he was there. from the log say: "There is the ____ I met Telford several times in the Telford pulled his gun road but never had any conversation

with him after that time. I was told Miss Myers that I had better watch him, that he had hit a man over the head with a neck yoke. Mr. Myers said he was a trifling scoundrel, lay ing around causing trouble and that

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FIRED THE SHOT.

strike Telford over the head with his Telford had a pistol and he fired at me. I fired and then tried to knock his pistol out of his hands. Before he started to run he fired again. I fired and he stumbled and fell. I didn't ever, is maintained with severity, and probably receive back its share." know whether I had hit him or not. I went to him and took hold of his pistol and told him to give it up. He Attorney Redmon said that it was didn't say anything and I hit him the intention of the attorneys for the three times over the head before he defense to prove the above statements. him to go and not let me catch him

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fense was Mss Lillie Latch, who testi- fingers of my left hand are stiff. I went back to where Miss Myers the attorneys for the defense began bridge, about a quarter of a mile was on her knees and went back to the then side of the case. There had been south of Sheep's Ford. She heard tent. She asked how badly I had hurt a cores of about 15 minutes, after four shots and screams. Two shots Telford and I said: 'I don't know,

Mrs. Shorb told us to come out din- pinos. ner. After eating I went back to the less stated in answer to questions that said that she heard a good deal of tent and the constable came and he the spot when the shooting occurred shooting during the forenoon and did told me to come with him up to Tel-Was don't quarter of a mile from not know that the shooting she spoke ford's, where he had left his rig. I the house and that the log was of had any connection with the kill- asked to go to Docatur by way of Cas-Attorney Nelson examined N. W. that I had. He said Casner would be out of the way and that we could go I live a mile and a half west of Casby Sangamon, where a Sunday school last 20 years. Knew Clevenger when

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During May I met Telford at Myers' house and we talked. We did not have any unpleasant words at that time. wite wanted to visit her parents. She heard his good character brought into I passed the Telford barn when driving on the road in a road wagon. Telfor st Louis and Clevenger never heard of her or saw her again. In the Mills the witness stated that he was to speak to me. I stopped and he said ford called to me and said he wanted taking his crop and furnishing him cavesdropping on him. I said he must cally began in 1858, when he took the the reasons for this action and a copy and blandless life and an for an him come of time he applied for and so- assisting Clevenger in his defense by he understood that I said he was The attorney said that it was true money. Never heard Clevenger's have told it himself. I also said I didn't care how much he went to has been known as an ardent Republiter and resolution will not be made spent it in the Christian ministry. R. F. McDonald, Louis Bushart, Myers, but that I didn't want him to eavesdrop on me. He said he wanted had be working on farms but de- Chapman, George Budsalew and John me to stay on my side of the road and cided to go to farming for himself McDonald testified that the character I said I didn't want to have any with the party organization. From At 5 o'clock Attorney Redmon stated overalls and had his right hand in the the acquaintance was renowed and that the defense had other witnesses, bib. I had my gun with me. It was house where Myers and his daughter house and would not be back till day morning I washed my horse about morning, so court adjourned for the morning, after setting the contact with Bay Teltord. Cleven.

ABOUT THE LOG. The log where I set the hooks was near the log where the couple were sitting. The road, after running west past the Telford place, turns south and The accused, Louis A. Clevenger, was the first witness put on the stand then came back and shaved. I remember of Mrs. Shorb and Miss Myers go-Was married six years ago. My wife Yack was at the house with some children. I went back to the tent and

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Irritating Conditions.

Our People-Critical Situation at Manila - No Conflict Yet.

MANILA, January 13. - The situation at Illoilo is unchanged. The Filipinos are unceasingly active day were I saw Miss Myers and Telford on and night. On Saturday they loaded said: "There is the ——— now." at the entrance of the river, blocking at Havana General Clous said: the channel for all vessels with the exception of launches. The lights have been extinguished. Order, howoffenders are promptly shot.

On Sunday one of the Arizona's On Sunday one of the Arizona's boats, manned by soldiers, was carried on by the ebb tide to Quimaraes Isgave up the gun. I threw it toward land. While attempting to land there the river. Telford said I had the best armed natives assembled on the beach of him and I helped him up and told and compelled the Americans to re-

> The Filipinos refuse to have any dealings with the Americans, vegetables and fruit are not obtainable, business is suspended, and the warehouses are filed with rotten sugar.

At Manila the situation is critical, but pacification is possible, in spite of the unyielding attitude of the Fili-

It is reported that the rebel government at Malelos is willing that the Americans should establish a protectorate, on the condition that they nor. The constable asked if I wanted promise to give the Filipines absolute of the army. He read testimony from his admission to the practice of his to get bail and I laughed and said yes, independence within a stated time. and that I wanted to return a horse It is also said that the Filipinos will demand official recognition.

Efforts are being made to bring convention was being held. We did about another conference with the this and I gave the horse to John rebels. The educated Filipinos are and referred to him as "this same ness. He had the promise of a most auxious to avoid trouble, and it is Remember of driving past Telford's receite before wiser counsel.

In the meantime the tension is extreme on both sides.

JOSEPH H. CHOATE

bassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to Great Britain, was born in ated in 1854 from Harvard Law war investigating commission today his profession until 1877, when he re-School and was admitted in 1855 to passed a resolution of consure against the bar. He formed a partnership General Evan for the language by the bar. He formed a partnership General Egan for the language he circuit. In 1877 he was stationed at with William H. Barnes, but in 1859 used yesterday when he appeared to Cherry Point; 1878 at Rankin; 1879-80, became a member of the firm of answer charges against the commissary Catlin; 1881, St. Joseph; 1882, Hope-Evarts, Southmayd & Choate. For branch of the army by General Miles, date; 1883, Heyworth; 1884-85, War. generally acknowledged to be the statement he left with the commisleading lawyer of the New York bar. suon after reading it to that body. "It has been my privilege to know Mr. Choate's political career practi- With it was sent a letter explaining Mr. Davis the greater part of my life. stump for Fremont. Since then he of the resolution of consure. The letcan though he has never held office. public until afternoon. At times he has not been in touch trouble with him. Telford had on bib 1873 to 1877 he was president of the Union League club of New York city.

Return of Gen. Clous, Secretary of the Evacuation Commission.

NEW YORK, January 13.—Brig. Gen. J. W. Clous, secretary of the then west, leading to the river. I Cuban evacuation commission has arwent to the river Sunday morning, rived from Havana on the Ward line Krum of Schoharie county at circle of friends and the presence of steamship City of Washington. He 8:30 o'clock last night. Senator ber of Mrs. Short and Miss Myers go-ing out after berries. When I went to was accompanied by his secretary, Krum was presiding over the conference and known him through Coulter's Mill I did not take my re- Ineutenant Barnes and his aids, Capt. volver, but left it under the head of B. E. Calhoun and Capt. James Hart. my tent. I brought the horse back of the commission, war relies and a been presented. and tred it to the buggy and went to small cannon. The cannon came from the house to get a drink. I did not Havana and was captured from the see Telford nor Miss Myers. Mrs. British by the Spanish in the 17th century. Speaking of the work of the commission, General Clous said:

Spanish commissioners were soon on Dingley this morning.

rather good terms. Of course, we had the Spanish 'manana' to overcome. We expected to get through our work much sooner than we did, but the cry was always 'manana.' It Review of Some of the was only by the most persistent work that on January 1 of this year 71,816 Spaniards had left the island.

"There are now in Matanzas 17,000 Spanish troops and in Cienfueges 28,-FILIPINOS AGAINST AMERIC'NS | 000. This will probably all be out of the island by the middle of February. The conditions in Havana are good, though there is more destitution there than at Santiago. But then it must be remembered that the United States has not been in control there as long s it has in Santiago. The charitable organizations in the city of Havana are doing good work. There are at

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War investigation Commis-WASHINGTON, January 13.-The

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CENSURE FOR EGAN.

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ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 13 .- "I declare Chauncey M. Depew the Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Gher, Mrs. unanimous choice of this Republican caucus for United States senator," said Senator Hobart

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Held This Afternoon -- Rev. Frost Craft in Charge.

DR. M'ELROY OF SPRINGFIELD

Presented Obituary and Address-Large and Impressive Funeral-Many Ministers Present.

Funeral rites over the remains of the late Rev. William H. Davis were solemnized at his late home on West the Havana hospitals. The health of Wilham street this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The services were in charge of Rev. Frost Craft of the First M. ville district, and Rev. Dr. Gillmore, Presiding Elder E. B. Randle and Rev. Lyles. Rev. Musgrove of Mecity were in attendance.

The funeral oration was delivered by Dr. McElroy, who prefaced his remarks with a sketch of the life of the deceased and his work as a minister of the Illinois conference. Dr. Me-Elroy said in his memorial:

"William H. Davis was born in Ross county, Ohio, April 13, 1828. He came with his parents to Pike county, Ill., in his boyhood and was reared as a farmer. His father was what was known in those early days as a promi-Sensational Declarations Before the nent man in the community. He was afterwards engaged in merchandizing in the town of Perry. My first scquaintance with Mr. Davis began over 50 years ago when he was a lad, he hoing over nine years my senior. He was a young man while I was yet a boy. I remember him because of his eme with his uncle, Dr. J. M. Higgins, Sr., of Higginsville, and after

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HIS CONFERENCE CAREER.

The following are the appointments 1856, Franklin; 1857, White Hall; 1857, Islam Grove; 1859-60, Exeter; 1861-62, Concord; 1863, located on account of his health and settled at Mt. Zion,

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In his address Dr. McElroy said:

"I am not capable of pronouncing s fitting enlogy upon our brother's life and character and will not attempt it. His life has pronounced it most cloquently. He was a man of strong, lear intellect, a wise and safe conuselor, prudent and strong with a kind genial nature, scushiny and cheerful. He was a transparently honest, friendly and pure minded man.

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Was married six years ago. My wife

- now." Telford pulled his gun read but never had any conversation

The Clear agest murder trial is near pand shot at Clevenger. Mr. Redmon ing a clos I day the atterneys for then went on to describe how Telford remained with the ex- shot at the accused and how Clevenger aming the character witnesses. The shot Telford when the latter had his prosecute a best discovered and afternoon gun in his hand pointed at Clevenger and the County tatement for the de- and was turned partly around. strike Telford over the head with his

WENTY-SEVENTH YEAR

on the cast anoming and told his an to arise, after having seized the restory of the cult i Everyone listened volver from Telford. Clovenger threw with the trively what the man had to the revolver toward the river and did n behalf. Clevenger not know what became of it, but it seem (1) a good many friends. was probable that it fell in the river. the best of me." Triends goner around firm.

The era coungs of the trial from the tin tar paper went to press yes the intention of the attorneys for the terday at | en below.

DEFENSE STATEMENT

Made by Attorney Redmon-Clevenger's Side of the Shooting.

At I calo k Thursday afternoon, after sice Attorney Mills had submitted the case for the prosecution, fied that she hved north of Rea's which Attorney Redmon called Mar- were in succession, there was a pause but I gave him a d-n sore head." shal Mason back on the stand for and then two more. further cross examination. The wit- In the cross examination the witness the house and that the log was of had any connection with the killlocat i from 20) to 400 yards from the ing of Telford.

RLDMON'S STATEMENT.

At the beginning of the trial the at- Tohill, who testified as follows: tormys for the defense asked that I live a mile and a half west of Casthey be allowed to reserve their open-Ing statement until after all the evidence for the prosecution had been he worked for Mr. Florey. His genintroduced and this motion was alleral character for peace and order lowed by Judge Vail. Such arrange- among his neighbors was good. I ment having been made the defense never heard his character called into was ready to tell their side to the jury % and everyone present was interested to

Attorney Redmon in addressing the He knew nothing of Clevenger's charjury said that he would first explain actor excepting for the period he lived the meaning of the word murder. Any in the neighborhood. Never heard unlawful killing of a human being Clovenger's character discussed and was murder. The malico was implied don't know the opinion of any man where no protocation was shown. To as to Clevonger's character. kill in self detense was to kill when danger was so urgent that the falling

Mr Redmon said that the defense expected to show that Clevenger was a min who never had any trouble of Cisner for four years and had a his board during the winter. I assogood is putation in that locality. It clated with the same persons with a year before I saw her again. I did had been stated that Clevenger was whom Clevenger associated. Last not forget her during that time. married. He had been married to a summer he farmed on my land located we main in Kausas. The parents of the five miles east of where the shooting woman moved to St. Louis and Clev- took place. During my four years' Co. r moved to Moultrie county. The acquaintance with Clovenger never took with her the children and started question.

that Covenger met Mrs. Seitz two character discussed. years ago in Decatur, but the acquanture was of short duration. He John Casner, John L. Wilson, A. B. had be , working on farms but de- Chapman, George Budsalew and John and wated a piece of land east of the of Clevenger was good. in cartact with Bay Teltord. Clevenger had been warned by both the girl and her father that Telford was a bad man and had struck a man over the head wit a neck yoke and would lay Louis A. Clevenger on the Stand to

him out The attorney further stated that Sheep's Ford was a kind of summer resort frequented by persons in the was the first witness put on the stand neighborhood who wanted to fish, by the defense today. He testified as Mr. Redmon said that on the night follows: before the shooting Clevenger, Mr-Myers and Mr Yack went to the river left for Wichita, Kansas, and has not to fish. Sunday morning Clevenger been seen since. At that time I lived drove to Oakley and returned and un- in Moultrie county and afterward hitched his horse without seeing any-) worked at Casner. Last year I farmed one pass his tent. Near the log where the Flor farm and lived in a tent. the couple were seated was another After my crops had been put in I log which marked the place where moved my tent to the Myers place. Clevenger had put finishing lines in Became acquainted with Myers girl the river. He went from his house to three years ago. I met Telford at the the river to look at his fishing lines house of Myers when we talked toand the first he knew of Telford and gother. About June 20 met him again, the girl being together in the woods when he accused me of coming to the was when he heard Telford as he arose Myers place to see if he was there. from the log say: "There is the ___ I met Telford several times in the

with him after that time. I was told Miss Myers that I had better watch him, that he had hit a man over the head with a neck yoke. Mr. Myers said he was a trifling scoundrel, laying around causing trouble and that he had ordered him off the place and

On Saturday, July 30, Mr. Yack, Mr. Myers, young Myers and myself went fishing and put out lines. Yack stayed at the river and the rest of us out four fish hooks and lines in the river just below where the shooting Refuse to Have Any Dealings With occurred. I talked with Miss Myers about going to Casner, shaved and then drove to Coulter's Mill. Returned about 11 o'clock. I watered and unhitched the horse and did not see any one but Mrs. Yack. Then I got a drink and went down to the river, following the old road.

FIRED THE SHOT.

When I got near to where the hooks were I saw Miss Myers and Telford on "There is the --- now." Louis to a the accused, was pistol, but he assisted the wounded Telford had a pistol and he fired at the channel for all vessels with the me. I fired and then tried to knock his pistol out of his hands. Before he started to run he fired again. I fired and he stumbled and fell. I didn't over, is maintained with severity, and know whether I had hit him or not offenders are promptly shot. When car adjourns each day his Telford said to Clevenger, "You got I went to him and took hold of his pistol and told him to give it up. He didn't say anything and I hit him three times over the head before he gave up the gun. I threw it toward of him and I helped him up and told and compelled the Americans to rehim to go and not let me catch him with the girl agam.

USED LEFT HAND. I used my 'left hand because it is

necessary to cock the pistol and two The first witness called for the defonse was Mss Lillie Latch, who testi-fingers of my left hand are stiff. I went back to where Miss Myers

the attorneys for the defense began bridge, about a quarter of a mile was on her knees and went back to the then side of the case. There had been south of Sheep's Ford. She heard tent. She asked how badly I had hurt a trees of about 15 minutes, after four shots and screams. Two shots Telford and I said: 'I don't know, Mrs. Shorb told us to come out din- pinos.

ner. After eating I went back to the hest stated in answer to questions that said that she heard a good deal of tent and the constable came and he the spot when the shooting occurred shooting during the forenoon and did told me to come with him up to Tel-Was done equation of a mile from not know that the shooting she spoke ford's, where he had left his rig. I asked to go to Decatur by way of Cas-Attornoy Nelson examined N. W. that I had. He said Casner would be out of the way and that we could go by Sangamon, where a Sunday school ner and have resided there for the convention was being held. We did ast 20 years. Knew Clevenger when

WAS WARNED.

Remember of driving past Telford's one night when Miss Myers was with Cross examined by Mr. Mills witness me. She said she had better drive so know what was to be the nature of said that it had been four years since I could watch in case Telford should Clevenger lived in his neighborhood, give me trouble.

CROSS EXAMINED.

By Mr. Mills the witness said: I didn't shoot a man in the Indian Territory that I know of. Never told Miss Myers that I had killed a man and had to skip out. Laved in Kansas 13 years. I had three children. Never

heard of my wife after she left. I promised to marry the Myers girl questions by Judge Nelson as follows: the first time I met her. I did not Florey, who testified in answer to Live half a mile from Casner. Clev- say anything about being divorced. enger shucked corn for me in 1896 and She promised to marry me. I promised 1832 in Massachusetts, and is the son able He lived in the neighborhood part of the fall of 1897 and worked for to take her to We was sense and Zow

During May I met Telford at Myers' house and we talked. We did not have any unpleasant words at that time. with wanted to visit her parents. She heard his good character brought into I passed the Telford barn when driving on the road in a road wagen. Telford called to me and said he wanted heard of her or saw her again. In the Mills the witness stated that he was come of time he applied for and so assisting Clevenger in his defense by he anderstood that I said he was taking his crop and furnishing him cavesdropping on him. I said he must cally began in 1858, when he took the the reasons for this action and a copy The attorney said that it was true money. Never heard Clevenger's have told it himself. I also said I stump for Fremont. Since then he of the resolution of censure. The letdidn't care how much he went to has been known as an ardent Republiter and resolution will not be made spent it in the Christian ministry. Myers, but that I didn't want him to eavesdrop on me. He said he wanted me to stay on my side of the road and cided to go to farming for himself McDonald testified that the character I said I didn't want to have any trouble with him. Telford had on bib 1873 to 1877 he was president of the overalls and had his right hand in the At 5 o'clock Attorney Redmon stated the acquaintance was renowed and that the defense had other witnesses, bib. I had my gun with me. It was Character moved his tent near to the but that they had returned to their in the bed of the buggy. On the Sunhouse where Myers and his daughter homes and would not be back till day morning I washed my horse about lived Only twice did Clevenger come morning, so court adjourned for the 6 o'clock in the morning, after setting my hooks at Sheep's Ford.

ABOUT THE LOG. The log where I set the hooks was near the log where the couple were itting. The road, after running west past the Telford place, turns south and Gen. J. W. Clous, secretary of the then west, leading to the river. I Cuban evacuation commission has arwent to the river Sunday morning, rived from Havana on the Ward line Krum of Schoharie county at then came back and shaved. I rememing out after berries. When I went to was accompanied by his secretary, Coulter's Mill I did not take my re- Lieutenant Barnes and his aids, Capt. volver, but left it under the head of B. E. Calhoun and Capt. James Hart. my bed. When I got home I did not General Clous brought with him sevsee Tellord but passed his house. I watered my horse at a well west of eral large boxes containing the records pew's was the only name that had watered my norse at a well west of my tent. I brought the horse back of the commission, war relies and a been presented. and tred it to the buggy and went to small cannon. The cannon came from the house to get a drink. I did not Havana and was captured from the see Telford nor Miss Myers. Mrs. British by the Spanish in the 17th cen-Yack was at the house with some got my revolver and some extra cart- commission, General Clous said: children. I went back to the tent and

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Irritating Conditions.

FILIPINOS AGAINST AMERIC'NS

Our People-Critical Situation at Manila - No Conflict Yet.

MANILA, January 13. -The situation at Illoilo is unchanged. The Filipinos are unceasingly active day and night. On Saturday they loaded and the CP and today the intro- Clevenger, the attorney said, did a log. Telford was just rising and some lighters with rock and sank them the concentration of customs receipts exception of launches. The lights have been extinguished. Order, how-

On Sunday one of the Arizona' boats, manned by soldiers, was carried EGAN on by the ebb tide to Quimaraes Island. While attempting to land there the river. Telford said I had the best armed natives assembled on the beach | The Nervy Commissary

> The Filipinos refuse to have any dealings with the Americans, vegetables and fruit are not obtainable, business is suspended, and the warehouses are filed with rotten sugar.

> At Manila the situation is critical, but pacification is possible, in spite of the unyielding attitude of the Fili-

It is reported that the rebel governnont at Malolos is willing that the Americans should establish a protectorate, on the condition that they asked to go to Decatur by way of Casternament of the Principles absolute of the army. He read testimony from his admission to the practice of his to get bail and I laughed and said yos, independence within a stated time. and that I wanted to return a horse It is also said that the Filipinos will demand official recognition.

Efforts are being made to bring about another conference with the this and I gave the horse to John rebels. The educated Filipinos are auxious to avoid trouble, and it is hoped that the militant Filipmos will recede before wiser counsel.

In the meantime the tension is ex-

Court of St. James.

bassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to Great Britain, was born in ated in 1854 from Harvard Law war investigating commission today his profession until 1877, when he re-School and was admitted in 1855 to passed a resolution of consure against part of the year supplied the Tuscola the bar. He formed a partnership General Egan for the language he circuit. In 1877 he was stationed at with William H. Barnes, but in 1859 used yesterday when he appeared to Cherry Point; 1878 at Rankin; 1879-80, became a member of the firm of answer charges against the commissary Catlin; 1881, St. Joseph; 1882, Hape-Evarts, Southmayd & Choate. For branch of the army by General Miles, dale; 1883, Heyworth; 1884-85, War. the last 10 years Mr. Choate has been and returned to him the typewritten generally acknowledged to be the statement he left with the commisleading lawyer of the New York bar. suon after reading it to that body. "It has been my privilege to know Mr. Choate's political career practi- With it was sent a letter explaining Mr. Davis the greater part of my life. can though he has never held office. At times he has not been in touch with the party organization. From Union League club of New York city.

Return of Gen. Clous, Secretary of the Evacuation Commission.

NEW YORK, January 13.-Brig. steamship City of Washington. He 8:30 o'clock last night. Senator tury. Speaking of the work of the

Spanish commissioners were soon on Dingley this morning.

rather good terms. Of course, we had the Spanish 'manana' to overcome. We expected to get through our work much sooner than we did, but the cry was always 'manana.' It Review of Some of the was only by the most persistent work that on January 1 of this year 71,816

"There are now in Matanzas 17,000

Spaniards had left the island.

Spanish troops and in Cienfueges 28,-000. This will probably all be out of the island by the middle of February. The conditions in Havana are good, though there is more destitution there than at Santiago. But then it must be remembered that the United States has not been in control there as long s it has in Santiago. The charitable organizations in the city of Havana are doing good work. There are at

our own troops continues good." When asked his opinion regarding

present 190 sick Spanish soldiers in

"The island should be run as a whole. If the receipts in Santiago Rev. Lyles. Rev. Musgrove of Meare sent to Havana, Santiago will chancesburg and the ministers of the probably receive back its share."

General After Nelson A.

War Investigation Commission-Plain Talk.

WASHINGTON, January 13.—The mony given before the war investigatthe beef issues in the war, vigorously arraigned General Miles, commander as "a liar." In the course of his testiof his body," who perpetrated a Randle, near Godfrey, Ill." scandal, who should be drummed out America's New Ambassador to the of the service and imprisoned and who should be avoided by every honest held by the deceased during his work

CENSURE FOR EGAN.

WASHINGTON, January 13.-The public until afternoon.

Chosen U. S. Senator for the State

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 13.—"I declare Chauncey M. Depew the Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Gher, Mrs. unanimous choice of this Republican caucus for United States senator," said Senator Hobart Krum was presiding over the conference and known him through caucus of Republican senators and assemblymen, and Mr. De- the services. The house was filled

DINGLEY BETTER.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.six feet from the old road. The log first, but both the United States and There was a slight improvement

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Held This Afternoon--Rev. Frost Craft in Charge.

DR. M'ELROY OF SPRINGFIELD

Presented Obituary and Address-Large and Impressive Funeral-Many Ministers Present.

Funeral rites over the remains of the late Rev. William H. Davis were solemnized at his late home on West the Havana hospitals. The health of William street this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The services were in charge of Rev. Frost Craft of the First M. E. church, assisted by Dr. W. N. Mo-Elroy, presiding elder of the Jacksonville district, and Rev. Dr. Gillmere, Presiding Elder E. B. Randle and nty were in attendance.

The funeral oration was delivered by Dr. McElroy, who prefaced his remarks with a skotch of the life of the deceased and his work as a minister of the Illinois conference. Dr. Mc-Elroy said in his memorial:

"William H. Davis was born in Ross county, Ohio, April 13, 1828. He came with his parents to Pike county, Ill., in his boyhood and was reared as a farmer. His father was what was known in those early days as a promi-Sensational Declarations Before the nent man in the community. He was afterwards engaged in merchandizing in the town of Perry. My first sequaintance with Mr. Davis began over 50 years ago when he was a lad, he most vigorous and sensational testi- being over nine years my senior. Re boy. I remember him because of bis ing commission was by Commissary kindness to and his recognition of the General Egan, who appearing unex- younger boys of the community. After pectedly to meet aflegations against attending school and while but little beyond his majority he studied medicine with his uncle, Dr. J. M. Higguis, Sr., of Higginsville, and after a long written statement. He denied profession entered into partnership, I the numerous statements of Miles and believe, with Dr. linging in the prac charged that the latter's testimony tice of medicine in Higgsusville the surrounding country.

constituted severe reflections on the general favorite with all the people commanding generals of expeditions because of his generosity and kindand referred to him as "this same ness. He had the promise of a most commanding general, Nelson A. brilliant career as a physician, being Miles, " and said that whoever called eminently successful in his practice but after a few years, realizing the the boef furnished "embalmed" beef call of God to the ministry he gave up his profession and entered the Illinois mony General Egan called General conference in 1864. He was converted Miles a "linr, who had in his thront, in 1840 and had lived a consistent lied in his heart and lied in every part Christian life. In October, 1848, he was married to Elenor Cartwright

HIS CONFERENCE CAREER.

The following are the appointments

WASHINGTON, January 13-Joseph man and barred by every club. He as a traveling minister of the gospel: H. Choate of New York, to be am- characterized his interviews as 1854, Jacksonville, 1855, Charleston; Islam Grove; 1859-60, Exeter; 1861-62, Concord; 1863, located on account of his health and settled at Mt. Zion, Ill., Macon county, where he practiced annuated in 1857.

In his address Dr. McElroy said: He was a good man. He lived a pure and blameless life and as far as his health and opportunities permitted,

"I am not capable of pronouncing a fitting enlogy upon our brother's life and character and will not attempt it. His life has pronounced it most cloquently. He was a man of strong, clear intellect, a wise and safe conuselor, prudent and strong with a kind genial nature, senshiny and cheerful. He was a transparently honest, friendly and pure minded man. The First M. E. choir, consisting of

Robert I Hunt and Charles Auer, rendered appropriate selections. The funeral was one of the most impressive that has cocurred in recent years. The deceased possessed a large circle of friends and the presence of the many ministers who have been associated with him in work in the his excellent example and unfailing kindness, added a soleman dignity to with friends and the cortege that followed the body to the grave was an

many beautiful floral tributes. Burnal was at Greenwood cometery. GONE TO MANILA.

unusually large one. There were

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL, Jan.

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Court Room Crowded This Afternoon

TO HEAR REDMON'S SPEECH

In Defense of Clevenger-Favorable Features of the Trial Brought Out by the Attor-

The court 100m was crowded suffocation this afternoon to witness the closing scenes in the Clevenger case. Judge Vail asked the spectators not to express any feeling of approval or disapproval.

REDMON'S SPEECH. Attorney W. E. Redmon addressed

the jury as follows for the defense: "I wish to say that the defendant is a man controlled by the same passions as the rest of us. This is a serious matter and I want you to consider it as such. I believe that the strongest passion we have is that of self defense and it is right that it should be so. In the civilized world it is recognized that a man has a right to defend himself when in his honest judgment he believes himself to be in danger. I wish to read to you a copy of this indictment."

At this point the attorney read the indictment, in which it is charged that Clevenger maliciously killed Bay Telford by shooting him with a pistol. There is also a second count charging that Clevenger inflicted a mortal wound by striking him on the head. The attorney continuing, said .

"It is charged to the first count that Clevenger killed Tolford by a gun youd a reasonable doubt that he did kill Telford, but he didn't do it. He second count charges that Telford died he did so and now it is in your hands. from the wound on the head. I don't think the sound to the head. I don't think the sound to the head. think this count amounts to much as man. I want you to try this case acthe physician stated that the wound cording to the evidence which has on the head was not serious. The died from another wound on the head. | WALTERS' ARGUMENT

A DOUBT.

"You jurors said you would give the accused the benefit of a reasonable doubt and such doubt exists. Murder being in the peace of the people and have got to believe beyond a reasonable doubt before you convict Mi. Kills tells you that you may disregard of fits his case and disregard the rest.

THE GIRL.

men have done and cannot be laid up in several places. Mr. Walters said: hand." against him. I think that Telford was also infatuated with her. The man to defend himself, but I don't begirl told each man that the other was heve in letting a man get behind the a dangerous man and while she was plea of self defense to hide a cold possibly trying to separate the men blooded murder. Clevenger after she was working them up to swords shooting Telford tells him not to be DANGER EXISTED.

shoot the quickest After he made these threats Teltord went to the place where he had been ordered not to come and to see the gul who he knew was making all the trouble. It is reasonable to believe that he expected trouble and that he was not unarmed.

SHOTS TIRED.

"There is a dispute as to the meanber of shots fired Clevenger says Turkish troops stormed and capthere were four and Mrs. Seitz said there were but three The girl manued Shanel, Nov. 30. About 4,000 in-Latch is an uninterested witness and she says there were four shots. She lived on the hill near there and there killed and wounded. was nothing to prevent her hearing the shots. She said that she heard other shots that morning and if she did there was no reason why she should not hear the four shots and she did hear them and at about the same time of day that the shooting occurred. Telford knew that there would be trouble if Myers or Clevenger met him at the tent, and it is only reasonable to believe that he went arred and there is evidence that he did.'

Mr. Redmon read from a law book ing of a man in self defense. The statute says that there must be cirramstances sufficient to excite the fear of a reasonable person.

"If the circumstances shown by the evidence in this case were not enough to expite the fears of a reasonable percon, I don't know what would," said

Gevenger went to the river to look his fishing when this man STRAYED-From my home in River is present habited the log, used trap around neck. Information that will be recard will be revealed. E. R. S. at J. G. Starr & Son Harmer Co.

Clevenger did what every other reasouable man would have done. In a place like that a man don't have time to use cool judgment, but he acts on To Cain Flesh, to Sleep Well, to the impulse of self defense, which

nature has put in him.

"The girl said Telford fired and run 50 yards. Mason says the weeds were high and the little girl on the hill says that the shots came in rapid succession. Everyone testified that the shots came in rapid succession and yards. The Latch girl on the hill People having it think that their says there were two shots in rapid nerves are to blame and are surprised succession, a pause and then two more shots and in the meantime screams by the woman.

"The law provides that a man must act in good faith when acting in self defense. There were certainly enough threats made to show that Clevenger acted in good faith. Mills will tell you that the last shot should not have been fired, but I say that after the threats being made Clevenger had a right to believe that as long as Telford had the gun his life was in dan-

AT HIS MERCY.

"They say Clevenger had malice in his heart and that he trailed the couple to the woods, but after the man who they claim he wanted to kill had fallen Clevenger had him down at his mercy and had three more bullets in his revolver. If he had wanted to kill Telford he would have done it then, but instead he assisted the man to his feet and told him to go, after he had taken the revolver from him.

FOOLISH STATEMENT.

"The statementt that Clevenger asked the girl to testify that Telford was assaulting her is absolutely foolish. If Clevenger had not been in good faith in defending himself he would have made his escape instead of sitting in the tent for three hours and talking about what he had done. "There is that in the evidence

which showed that Clevenger was in good faith. His acts were those of a man who had a clear conscience. He had the best chance in the world to said he would go with the officer and been presented to you."

He Spoke for Fifteen Minutes for the Prosecution.

is the unlawful killing of a human the prosecution. He said it was not the Harbor and Wharf Commission. an opportune time for him to make a Public Secretary of the St. Louis with malice aforethought, either ex- display as he was simply assisting Mr. School Patrons' Association, and the pressed or implied. If you are to try Mills and would talk about 15 min District Conference of Stewards of the this case according to the evidence as utes. He spoke of the good qualities M. E. Church; also takes an active part you promised you would, you cannot of the attorneys for the defense, but in the work of the Epworth Lague, and believe that malice existed. You said that in spite of their ability to write on religious and educational there were facts which they could not topics for several magazines How he hide. He said he would talk of malice found relief is best told in his own aforethought. He said the spirit a part of the testimony of the girl. shown by Clevenger toward the Tel-He wants you to believe the part that ford family when he was working with Ruehl on the straw pile did not and taking a box from his pocket said fooling toward Tolford. They say that promptly relieved. Then I investigated TALKS ON RACE QUESTION have done this unwittingly, but it Bay Tolford expected trouble when he the nature of the tablets and became seems that she was fitting the two went to the tent. If he had been satisfied that they were made of just men to do just what they did do when men to do just what they did do when they met. The defendant is only human. He was infatuated with the girl, a thing which many other good one. Clevenger contradicted himself

"I believe in the law allowing a seen with that girl again. That does not look much like he shot in self deiense. That fishing tackle story makes "In order for marder to be in self me fired and is the higgest fish story defense it is no necessary for the I overheare. He went to follow that the man defend- gui with a gun in his hands and ne that danger malice in his heart Il Clevenger is exists Telford in and that if he innocent I would be the last man to and Clevenger ever got together it want him convicted, but I want you would be a question of who could to try it according to the evidence. The case will be given to the jury

A BIG BATTLE

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 12 -A great battle has been fought in the Yemen division of Arabia. tured the insurgent position at surgents and 2,200 Turks were L. B. Q. on each tablet.

Miss Ellen Terry is a clever banjo

player. Another Good Man Gone Wrong. Hefarel to use Poley's Kidney Cure for his kidney complaint. II. W. Bell N. L. Krone, W. H. Hubbird.

Look out for explosions; the wintry plasts are blowing up streets and alleys overywhere.

Food does more harm than good roug does more narm than good when not digested. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests whi you eat. It prevents wasting disease and cures stomach troubles. It indigestion, sour indigestion, sour stomach and hing, and allows a wornout stomach est. It acts instabily. stomach and that justifiable homicide was the kill- H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shilling, East End Drug Store.

> The holder of a winning ticket in a lottery gets the benefit of the draw.

To insure a happy new year, keep the liver clear and the body vigorous by using De Witt's Little Early Rusers, the famous little pills for constipation and liver troubles. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shillng, East End Drug Stere.

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PROF. HENRY W. BECKER, A. M. with loss of flesh and appetite with accumulations of gas, sour risings and heartburn.

It is safe to say that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure any stomach weakness or disease except cancor of the stomach. They cure sour stomach,

Send for valuable little book on stomach diseases by addressing F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. All druggists sell full siezed packages at 50 cents Prof. Henry W. Becker, A. M, the wellknown religious worker and writer of St. Louis. Secretary of the Mussion Board of the Gorman Methodist Church. Attorney C. C. Walters spoke for Chief Clerk and Expert Accountant for worde:

'Some weeks ago my brother heard me say something about indigestion indicate that he had a very kindly "Try Stuart's Tablets." 1 did, and was spects, and I keep them constantly on

IN FAVOR OF STAFFORD

Judge Hammer Cives His Decision in the Casner Matter.

tion in the Casner estate. O. C. Stafford wanted the assignee to pay him the 25 per cont dividend on his claim of \$1652. The representatives of the estate claimed that they had un offset but the judge decided in favor of Stafford. The dividend will amount to \$413

THE WEATHER.

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In Defense of Clevenger-Favorable Features of the Trial Brought Out by the Attor-

The court 100m was crowded to suffocation this afternoon to witness case. Judge Varlasked the spectators not to express any feeling of approval or disapproval.

REDMON'S SPEECH.

Attorney W. E. Redmon addressed the jury as follows for the defense: "I wish to say that the defendant is a man controlled by the same passions as the rest of us. This is a serious matter and I want you to consider it as such. I believe that the strongest wanted to kill Telford he would have passion we have is that of self defense and it is right that it should be so, the man to his feet and told him to In the civilized world it is recognized that a man has a right to defend him- from him. self when in his honest judgment he believes himself to be in danger. I wish to read to you a copy of this indictment.

At this point the attorney read the indictment, in which it is charged that Clevenger maliciously killed Bay Telford by shooting him with a pistol. There is also a second count charging that Clevenger inflicted a mortal wound by striking him on the head. The attorney continuing, said .

"It is charged in the first count that Clevenger killed Tolford by a gun shot. You must believe this true bethis before you can convict him. The said he would go with the officer and youd a reasonable doubt that he did second count charges that Telford died he did so and now it is in your hands. from the wound on the head. I don't think this account from the wound on the head. think this count amounts to much as man. I want you to try this case acthe physician stated that the wound cording to the evidence which has on the head was not serious. The died from another wound on the head. WALTERS' ARGUMENT

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DANGER EXISTED.

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Latch is an uninterested witness and she says there were four shots. She lived on the hill near there and there killed and wounded. was nothing to prevent her hearing the shots. She said that she heard other shots that morning and if she did there was no reason why she should not hear the four shots and she did hear thom and at about the same time of day that the shooting occurred. Telford knew that there would be trouble if Myers or Clevenger met him at the tent, and it is only reasonable to believe that he went arred and there is evidence that he did."

MORE LAW. Mr. Redmon read from a law book that justifiable homicide was the kill-H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shilling, ing of a man in self defense. The statute says that there must be cirenmstances sufficient to excite the fear of a reasonable person.

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"The law provides that a man must act in good faith when acting in self defense. There were certainly enough threats made to show that Clevenger acted in good faith. Mills will tell you that the last shot should not have been fired, but I say that after the threats being made Clevenger had a the closing scenes in the Clevenger right to believe that as long as Telford had the gun his life was in dan-

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"They say Clevenger had malice in his heart and that he trailed the couple to the woods, but after the man who they claim he wanted to kill had fallen Clevenger had him down at his mercy and had three more bullets in his revolver. If he had done it then, but instead he assisted go, after he had taken the revolver

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"The statementt that Clevenger asked the girl to testify that Telford was assaulting her is absolutely foolish. If Clevenger had not been in good faith in defending himself he would have made his escape instead of sitting in the tent for three hours and talking about what he had done.

"There is that in the evidence which showed that Clevenger was in good faith. His acts were those of a man who had a clear conscience. He had the best chance in the world to kill Telford, but he didn't do it. He been presented to you."

He Spoke for Fifteen Minutes for the Prosecution.

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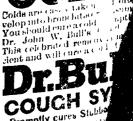
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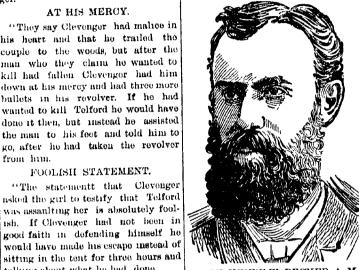
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NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA.

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No trouble is more common or more misunderstood than nervous dyspepsia. People having it think that their nerves are to blame and are surprised says there were two shots in rapid that they are not cured by nerve medicines. The real seat of the mischief is shots and in the meantime screams by lost sight of. The stomach is the organ to be looked after.

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Judge Hammer Gives His Decision in the Casner Matter.

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THE WEATHER.

CHICAGO, January 13 -Illinois Threatening and probably rain tonight CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 12 and Saturday; colder tonight; south to west winds. -A great battle has been fought

> To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Brome Quinine Fablets All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuin has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

-Attorney A. G. Webber is recoverng from an attack of the grip.

-Charles mam, of Indianapolis, nd., who recently received bis discharge from the 27th Indiana Battery. that saw service in Porto Rico, is in this city visiting his mother.

-Mrs. Nichols of West Wood street is suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

of the Clevenger case Judge Vail heard a few motions.

bonded indebtedness is about \$180,000 including defaulted interest. -Miss Catherine Harwood has re-

turned to Chicago after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harwood, of North Morgan street. -Hon. B. F. Caldwell was in the city

today. -Mrs. J. A. Hawk and Mr. and Mrs.

M. Q. Mansfield, of Niantic, were in the city today. -Guard Wilkinson, of Cisteago, is guest of Decatur friends.

Bargains in Cloak Departm

At BRADLEY BROS.

JACKETS.

Ladies' Stylish Cloth Jackets-Light Tans, Black and Navy Blue, New Box Front, worth \$5.00 and \$6.50, closing price

Fine Kersey Cloth Coats-Silk Lined and Stylish Boucle Cloth Coats, high storm collar, worth \$7.50 to \$8.95, to close at \$5.00.

Ladies' Heavy All Wool Chinchilla Cloth Top Coats, double breastsd high storm collar, black, \$5.00.

Very best fine Covert Cloth Coats, Fancy Silk Lining, New Fronts, Strap Seams, worth \$10, \$12.50 and \$13.00, to close at \$7.95.

Children's Cloaks.

One lot of Children's heavy cloth Reefer Coats, 6 to 14 years, \$1.00 each.

One lot of Children's long School Cloaks, good all wool cloth, sizes 6 to 12 years, \$3.95 each.

One lot of Misses' Wool Dresses, 4 to 14 years, just half price.

12 dozens Ladies' Winter Wrappers, made of heavy quality printed flannelette, all sizes, handsome styles, 65c each, worth \$1.00.

Ladies' Wrappers.

Fur Collarettes.

Fine Fur Collarettes, \$7.50 and \$8.50, to close at \$5.00.

few choice Electric Soal, Nutria, Black Marten and Persian Lamb Combination Collars, worth \$16.50 to \$20, to close at \$10 each.

Fur Muffs at 35c and 50c each.

Ready Made Dress Skirts.

Black Brocaded Brilliantines at \$1.50. Black Brocaded Satin Berber Cloth Skirt new flounce, \$3.00 each.

Silk Skirts.

A few choice new styles, best quality Silk Dress Skirts at half price.

Silk Waists.

One lot of fine silk Shirt Waists, slightly soiled, sizes 32, 34, 36, 38, regular price \$5.00 and \$6.00, to close at \$2.95 each.

Cloth and Fur Capes.

All lined Bouclo Cloth Capes, 30 inches long, fur trimmed, \$3.98.

24-inch best quality Sealskin Plush Capes, silk lined, beaded and embroidered, fur trimmed collar and edge, \$3.50.

30-inch Plain Seal Plush Cape, silk lined, fur trimmed, worth \$10, for \$5.00. Ladies' Fur Capes, made of black dyed*

Marten, 30 inches long, full sweep, heavy satin lining, \$4.95 each.

30-inch Astrachan Capes, best satin lining, high storm collar, \$12.95 each.

Electric Seal Capes, 30 inches long, Marten collar and edge, best satin lining, \$12.50 each.

Brown Marten Fur Capes, 24 inches deep, 120 in. sweep, reduced from \$30 to

Finest quality Beaver Fur Capes, 30 in. long, 120 in. sweep, \$55.00.

First quality Black Astrachan Fur Coat, 24 in. long, \$22.50.



poses Expansion.

-Wants an Amendment to the Constitution to

Settle All Trouble.

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McLaurin's Speech. WASHINGTON, January 13. - Senator McLaurin, Democrat of South Carolina, addressed the Sonate in support of the Vest resolution, declaring the policy of expansion unconstitutional. He said he felt as a representative of South Carolina that he was peculiarly qualified to speak on the incorporation of the mongrel, semibarbarous population into our body politic. "Experience in the south for the past 30 years with the negro race, said he, "is pregnant with lessons for our guidance in the Philippines. It is passing strange that senators who a division in it and injure the chances favor universal suffrage should now advocate imperialism. There is a able to it. The coolest minds among glaring inconsistency in these positions. If they are sincere in their views as to the Philippines they should propose an amendment to the constitution which will put the inferfor races in this country and the inhabitants of the Philippines on an equality as to civil and political rights, and thus forever settle the

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Effect of Egan's Attack on the Army Discussed To-Day. WASHINGTON, January 13.—Army

circles this morning had scarcely reovered from the shock received yesterday's by General Egan's statement. But on second thought en. larged rather than decreased the gravity of the matter, and from Secretary Alger down to the lowest commissioned officers there was a notable disinclination to discuss if f publication. Privately, however nearly all agreed the incident was calculated to injure the whole army and accentuate of the enactment of legislation favorfriends of both General Miles and General Eagan are inclined to the opinion that no action will follow vesterday's eruption.

MONEY FOR THE STRIKERS.

PANA, ILL., Jan. 13 .- The Union Miners' officials received vexed race and suffrage questions in \$3,000 today from the State Organizations for the commissary rusry 6 as the time for the hearing on funds, and Saturday each of 600 the petition. union miners in Pana will be paid \$5.55.

NO BUSINES...

SPRINGFIELD, ILL. Jan. 13.—Both houses adjourned till Tuesday evening without transacting any business.

The Boys at Pana. George Hatch, a member of Company

H. now stationed at Pana, was in the city today. He was called home on +6 count of the serious illness of his grand mother, Mrs. E. A. Henley. Hatch says that the members of the company are elimination at the negro from the all well and are being well cared for political policy and is today wisely They are receiving good pay and do not adverted to by great leaders of the object in the least to being stationed at

He Found It Good in Cuba and Used It in His Family.

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GONE TO CADIZ

panish transport Chandsrnagor saded for Cadiz today with 600 sick men on board.

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The will of the late P. W. Blankenship has been filed for probate in the county court Judge Hammer set Feb-

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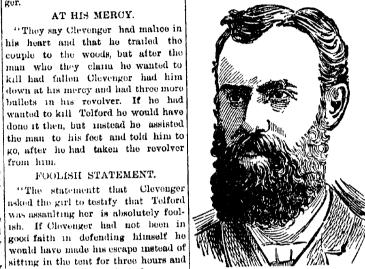
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"Some weeks ago my brother heard with Rueld on the straw pile did not and taking a box from his pocket said, indicate that he had a very kindly "Try Stuart's Tablets." I did, and was

Judge Hammer Gives His Decision in the Casner Matter.

seen with that girl again. That does not look much like he shot in self dedecision of the arguments on a petitense. That fishing tackle story makes tion in the Casner estate. O. C. Stafford wanted the assignee to pay I ever heart. He went to follow that aim the 25 per cent dividend on his laim of \$1652. The representatives unalice in his heart. If Clevenger is of the estate claimed that they had an offset but the judge decided in favor of Stafford. The dividend will want him convicted, but I want you amount to \$113 The case will be given to the jury

THE WEATHER.

CHICAGO, January 13 -Illinois Threatening and probably rain tonight CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 12 and Saturday; colder tonight; south to -A great battle has been fought west winds.

> To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxativo Bromo Quinius Pablets All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuin has

surgents and 2,200 Turks were L. B. Q. on each tablet. -Attorney A. G. Webber is recovering from an attack of the grip.

> -Charles mam, of Indianapolis, nd., who recently received bis discharge from the 27th Indiana Battery. that saw service in Porto Rice, is in this city visiting his mother.

-- Mrs. Nichols of West Wood street is suffering from a severe attack of

of the Clevenger case Judge Vail heard a few motions.

bonded indebtedness is about \$180,000 ncluding defaulted interest. -Miss Catherine Harwood has re

turned to Chicago after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harwood, of North Morgan street.

-Hon. B. F. Caldwell was in the city today. -Mrs. J. A. Hawk and Mr. and Mrs.

M. Q. Mansfield, of Niantic, were in the city today. -Guard Wilkinson, of Citicago,

guest of Decatur friends.

Bargains in Cloak Departm

At BRADLEY BROS,

JACKETS.

Ladies' Stylish Cloth Jackets-Light Tans, Black and Navy Blue, New Box Front, worth \$5.00 and \$6.50, closing price

Fine Kersey Cloth Coats-Silk Lined and Stylish Boucle Cloth Coats, high storm collar, worth \$7.50 to \$8.95, to close at \$5.00.

Ladies' Heavy All Wool Chinchilla Cloth Top Coats, double breastsd high storm collar, black, \$5.00.

Very best fine Covert Cloth Coats, Fancy Silk Lining, New Fronts, Strap Seams, worth \$10, \$12.50 and \$13.00, to close at \$7.95.

Children's Cloaks.

One lot of Children's heavy cloth Raefer Coats, 6 to 14 years, \$1.00 each.

One lot of Children's long School Closks, good all wool cloth, sizes 6 to 12 years, \$3.95 each.

One lot of Misses' Wool Dresses, 4 to 14 years, just half price.

Ladies' Wrappers. 12 dozens Ladies' Winter Wrappers, made

of heavy quality printed flannelette, all sizes, handsome styles, 65c each, worth \$1.00.

Fur Collarettes.

Fine Fur Collarettes, \$7.50 and \$8.50, to close at \$5.00.

few choice Electric Soal, Nutria, Black Marten and Persian Lamb Combination Collars, worth \$16.50 to \$20, to close at \$10 each.

Fur Muffs at 35c and 50c each.

Ready Made Dress Skirts.

Black Brocaded Brilliantines at \$1.50. Black Brocaded Satin Berber Cloth Skirt new flounce, \$3.00 each.

Silk Skirts.

A few choice new styles, best quality Silk Dress Skirts at half price. Silk Waists.

One lot of fine silk Shirt Waists, slightly soiled, sizes 32, 34, 36, 38, regular price \$5.00 and \$6.00, to close at \$2.95 each.

Cloth and Fur Capes.

All lined Bouclo Cloth Capes, 30 inches long, fur trimmed, \$3.98.

24-inch best quality Sealskin Plush Capes, silk lined, beaded and embroidered, fur trimmed collar and edge, \$3.50.

30-inch Plain Seal Plush Cape, silk lined, fur trimmed, worth \$10, for \$5.00.

Ladies' Fur Capes, made of black dyed* Marten, 30 inches long, full sweep, heavy satin lining, \$4.95 each.

30-inch Astrachan Capes, best satin lining, high storm collar, \$12.95 each.

Electric Seal Capes, 30 inches long, Marten collar and edge, best satin lining, \$12.50 each.

Brown Marten Fur Capes, 24 inches deep, 120 in. sweep, reduced from \$30 to

Finest quality Beaver Fur Capes, 30 in. long, 120 in. sweep, \$55.00. First quality Black Astrachan Fur Coat, 24

in. long, \$22.50.



poses Expansion.

Experience of the Whites in the SouthWants an Amendment to

the Constitution to Settle All Trouble.

WASHINGTON, January 13.-In the Senate Senator Allen of Nebraska

introduced a resolution for the ap-Today Judge Hammer rendered his pointment of a committee of five sen-

politic. "Experience in the south for the past 30 years with the negro race,' said he, "is pregnant with lessons for our guidance in the Philippines. It is favor universal suffrage should now glaring inconsistency in these positions. If they are sincere in their views as to the Philippines they should propose an amendment to the constitution which will put the inferior races in this country and the inhabitants of the Philippines on an equality as to civil and political rights, and thus forever settle the this country, as well as in outlying territory. "How can they consistently and

justly, I might add constitutionally, This afternoon before the beginning advocate a policy for outlying territories embracing races so nearly rank ing to the negro, which liffers so The capital stock of the City Electric radically from the policy adopted as Railway company is \$300,000, and the to that race in the south? There can be but one answer to that question and it is that they substantially admit in the light of a third of a century experience, that universal suffrage 18

onnmental failure; that the time come for a correction of this stupendous governmental error. Universal suffrage in the south has long since degenerated into a race question and as such has led to the practical racelike Professor Miller and Booker | Pana.

Washington, and which in time without outside interference, under the guidance of the best thought of both races, will lead to a just and mutually satisfactory settlement of the gravest problem that over confronted a people m modern times.'

McLaurin then entered on a con federal government, enumerated specificifically defined, did not exist. He held the government, as in the case of Hawaii, had a right to annex nocessary defensive territory, and hoped the time was coming when we would consent of the people annexed

HOUSE

of the whole on the Naval bill.

inclination to discuss if f publication. Privately, however nearly all agreed the incident was calculated to injure the whole army and accentuate passing strange that senators who a division in it and injure the chances of the enactment of legislation favoradvocate imperialism. There is a able to it. The coolest minds among friends of both General Miles and General Eagun are inclined to the opinion that no action will follow yesterday's cruption.

MONEY FOR THE STRIKERS.

PANA, ILL., Jan. 13.-The Union Miners' officials received ship has been filed for probate in the vexed race and suffrage questions in \$3,000 today from the State Organizations for the commissary ruary 6 as the time for the hearing on funds, and Saturday each of 600 the petition. union miners in Pana will be paid \$5.55.

NO BUSINES...

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Jen. 13.—Both houses adjourned till Tuesday evening without transacting any business.

The Boys at Pana.

George Hatch, a member of Company H, now stationed at Pana, was in the city today. He was called home on a count of the serious illness of his grand mother, Mrs. E. A. Henley. Hatch says that the members of the company are elimination . the negro from the all well and are being well cared for political policy and is today wisely They are receiving good pay and do not adverted to by great leaders of the object in the least to being stationed at

He Found It Good in Cuba and Used It in His Family.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13. stitutional discussion of the question General Leonard Wood, military presented in the resolution, maintain- governor of Santiago, Cuba, was ing that all rights and powers of the a witness before the war investigating committee today. His indicate that he had a very kindly "Try Stuart's Tablets." I did, and was followed. Then I investigated that such as were not thus such as were not thus special conditions in the island. He opened with a statement that never had there been so successful a campaign with so small loss of life. He praised the quality of possess all of North America, but by the boof furnished the army, and said that except for some cana which were tainted, and conse-The House went into the committee quently thrown away, the beef was of good quality and he had used it both in the war and in his own family.

Free Pills.
Sond your address to H. E. Bucklen & ators with plenary powers to investigate the late war.

McLaurin's Speech.

WASHINGTON, January 13.—Sendator McLaurin, Democrat of South Carolina, addressed the Sonate in support of the Vest resolution, declaring the policy of expansion unconstitutional. He said he felt as a representative of South Carolina that he was peculiarly qualified to speak on the incorporation of the mongrel, somibarbarous population into our body politic. "Experience in the south for

GONE TO CADIZ

Spanish transport Chandsrnagor sailed for Cadiz today with 600 sick men on board.

General Sanger has burned the barracks formerly occupied by the reconcentrados in order to cill the disease germs.

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Eldorado Street Case.

The hearing in the East Eldorado street case, which was to have come up this morning, was postponed until

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March I, 1898-Petition Pre-

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The petition for the appointment of

a receiver was filed in the Macou

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LOCAL NEWS.

best into them both.

Smoke the Little Joker-5 cent cigar Geo. W. Ehrhart loans money on any goods. Collateral, best rates.

Davis-Cabs and, Trunks age.

You pay a little more for the clothes that Denz makes but-

.-Dr. J. G. Ellis made a professional was at Cerro Gordo this afternoon.

California fruits at Glessner's, 148 East Prairie. ---Miss Hatfield, daughter of Rev. and

Mrs. Z. T. Hatfield, is ill.

Paul Perry, of Columbus, Ga., suffered agony for thirty years, and then cured his Piles by using De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. It heals injuries and skin diseases like magic. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shilling, East End Drug Store.

-The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. T Edward Downey was seriously ill yesterday, but is better today.

-Dr. Will Dunn, who has lately returned from a year's study in Vienna, has taken office rooms in the Millikin building and is now in Chicago for the purpose of purchasing office fixtures and apparatus. Notice.

All persons who are indebted to counts as I have sold out my business. Mr. Redmon was sustained. deorge W. Powers.—10-d1w

Five Per Cent Money.

We have on hand a special fund to oan on first class real estate security at 5 per cent interest. Call at once. Peddecord, Burrows & Co. -- 31-dtf

Mr. A. C. Thomas, of Marysville, Tex., has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike. For years he suffered untold agony from consumption, accompnied by heurorrhagos; and was absolutely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. He declares that gold is of little value in comparison with this marvelous cure; would have it, even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Astha, Bronchtits and all throat it, even if it cost a hundred dollars a rottle. Astha, Bronchutis and all throat and lung affections are positively cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Trial bottles 10c, at J. E. King's and C. F. Shilling's drug stores. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refnuded.

DOWNEY'S STAND

Pana Until Forced to Do So.

TAYLORVILLE, ILL., January 13. -The attitude which Sheriff Thomas Downey would assume if the state troops were withdrawn from Pana has been a matter of much speculation. Downey owes his election to the white miners of Pana. It is said he secured under no circumstances would be ap the conditions under which one man point special deputies to protect the may take the life of another." property of the Pana mine operators, or the lives of the non-union negro

ney said: "The property owners of Pana or absolute danger. any other citizens of the place need not appeal to me for assistance until every means within its power to preserve order. Of course, if I see that the defendant to save himself. the city authorities can not cope with the situation then I will not, and, if upon the stand did not claim to this

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Ask your Grocor today to show you a package of GRAIN-O the new food drink that takes the place of coff so. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mooha or Juva, but it is made from purogramus and the most delicate stomach regives it without distress. 'A the price of coffice. 15c and 25 cts. per package. Sold by all erogars.

The wonderful demand for

Laxative Grip Cure

Made only by I., K. & Co., the well known manufacturing chemiets of this city, is evidence that it is a good remedy.

THESE TABLETS SELL ON MERIT.

Everybody is pleased with their marvelous curative properties. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 Cents.

I. N. IRWIN & CO.. Druggiats, 100 E. Prairie St., and 212 N. Main St., Decatur, III.

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CLEVENGER

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was about eight feet long. Telford and the girl were seated on the east You Buy THE BEST Groceries fork of the log. When I first saw him he had gotten up, was about four feet from the girl. He came around the south end of the log and after he got out in the road facing north toward me and fired and missed me. I made a rush for him and fired when about five feet from him. He turned when he fired his last shot and I fired.

CLOSELY QUESTIONED.

Attorney Mills questioned the wit. ness closely in regard to the exact while the shooting took place. Clevenger made an excellent witness. call at Harristown this morning and did not contradict himself on any ma-said that they were startled by the terial point excepting that he said noise in the bushes and when they when all four shots were fired. "Then," said Mr. Mills, "you were in his left hand.

both advancing toward each other when all four shots were fired and yet you shot Telford in the back. That is

Clevenger was then excused after having been on the stand for an hour and a half. He was perfectly cool throughout his examination and did not seem to become at all excited.

ANDREW J. CLIFTON. The defense called Andrew J. Clifton, who testified that Telford hit

while they were atttending a dance. strike him. Mr. Mills asked the wit- conversation at the house. She swore ness if he was the same Andrew J. George W. Powers' shoe store will Clifton who was tried in this court please call at once and pay their ac- for hog stealing. The objection of

> In answer to a question by Mr. Redmon the witness said he had trouble talking to a girl.

> > WILL HICKS.

Testified that he saw people coming from the Telford place on the afternoon of the shooting. Attorney Redmon then announced

that the case for the defense was finished and there was a short recess. MR. MILLS' SPEECH.

State's Attorney Opened the Argument for the Prosecution.

Judge Vail allowed each side three hours for arguments. State's Attor- according to his own testimony. ney Mills, in opening the argument, enid to the jury:

When I opened this case I explained their votes with the promise that law guards human life and lays down

Mr. Mills read the law in regard to killing in self defense. The law states laborers employed by them. When that in order to kill in self defense the shown Governor Tanner's announced dark must be so urgent that the kill-ment that the state troops will be ing was absolutely necessary and that the state troops will be the one killed must be the assailant to the state troops. The control of the c

the local government has exhausted order that the killing be in self defense the shot must have been fired dangerous disease. It is the best remwhen it was absolutely necessary for "In the first place the defendant

necessary, will demand of Governor jury that when he fired the shot that killed Telford that he believed he was Tanner that the troops be returned to about to lose his life. He says that after Telford fired the second shot he turned to run away from him. If this was the case there was no necessity direct testimony he said the deceased was 15 feet south of that log. "He claims that the deceased came

around the south end of the log and that they kept rushing together and firing and when the deceased turned to go away the last shot was fired and the deceased hit in the back. THE ISSUE.

"The issue is whether when that

last shot was fired the defendant was in danger of being killed or receiving great bodily harm. Two witnesses told of the shooting, the girl and the defendant. The girl told her story in the direct exaimnation and in the cross examination she made important additions. GIRL'S TESTIMONY.

"While this woman was a witness

she was doing all she could to help the defendant and modified and placed her testimony in the most favorable light for the defendant. If her testi mony makes out a case of self defense this defendant should be acquitted, if it does not he should be convicted. She said that as the decessed raised up off the log he pulled a revolver from his waistoost and that the defendan

was about 40 feet away, and that a was about 40 feet away, and that a shot was fired by the deceased. She said that as the deceased was running away the defendant fired the shot which killed the deceased. I submit to you whether it was necessary in self defense for Clevenger in self de- The City Electric Railway fense to fire the shot while Telford was trying to escape and then after he fell to go to him and pound him over the head until his skull was fractured. If you say that is self defeuse there should be a new law added to those of RONDHOLDERS WANT MONEY the state of Illinois.

NEED NOT BELIEVE.

"The girl said that Telford had a revolver. You are not bound to believe that statement and in my judgment he never had one. If Telford had a revolver he would have had some evidence of it in his body if they were eight feet together and admovements of himself and Telford vancing as he says they were. He stated that three shots were fired while they were advancing and yet With all of the cross questioning he not a hair was touched on either. She both he and Telford were advancing saw him he was 40 paces away with his revolver in his right hand and not

DOES NOT DENY. "Clevenger did not attempt to con-

tradict one thing in the testimony of can Trust and Savings Bank of Chithe girl until he came to the point cage, by and with the consent of the where the couple arose from the log holders of the first mortgage bonds. and the first shot was fired. He doesn't even deny what she claims he said \$300,000 and the bonded indebtedness after the shooting. He don't deny is about \$175,000, bonds drawing inthat he called to Telford nor does he deny stopping at the pump to wash able semi-annually. that dog's blood from his hands. He does not deny that he asked the him over the head with a neck yoke officer to let him have a secret conferonce with the woman at the house In the cross examination the wit- and he was permitted to do so. He ness said that he had a little trouble does not deny telling the girl what with Telford, but that he did not she should swear to while he had the

"Look at this case. If one of you killed another man in self defense would you not declare it at once instead of trailing around after some woman or man to tell a different with Telford, but had shook hands story. You would not say that you and made up with him and then had revenge, but would have said you sneaked up behind him while he was did it to save your life. You would not have called to the man. You would not have said you wanted to wash this dog's blood from my hands,' nor would you have asked the girl to tell another story to save him from the ponitentiary.

COLD BLOODED.

volver nor extra cartridges. The mur- on the 1st day of March, 1892, and seder was not done in self defense, but cured by a certain trust deed upon its was done with a spirit of revenge, properties and franchises to you as Never was a more cold blooded mur- trustee of even date. der committed nor was there ever a more cold blooded exhibition after a marder than was shown by this man,

CHARACTER.

"Several good witnesses testified that murder was the unlawful killing here in regard to Clevenger's characof a human being with malice aforethe Will Not Appoint Deputies for thought. I can but repeat to evidence cuts no figure in this case. trust deed, have elected to declare, you the law in regard to mur- It is not claimed that he killed anyone and do hereby declare all of such der. I said I did not know or had any trouble at Casner. The bonds immediately due and payable, what the defense would be as the de- defendant is shown to be a man not principal and interest. fense to be relied upon was not dis- high in the scale in society. His wife closed and I therefore did not speculand children left him and instead of as such trustee, proceed at once to late upon it. We now have before us hunting for them he comes to another foreclose said trust deed, that for that county to meet a maried woman and purpose proceedings be commenced in but that while the accused did do the after knowing her three hours he the circuit court of Macon county, shooting and killing he did it because promises to marry her. I submit this III., at the January term, A. D., 1899, it was necessary to self defense. The statement to you and ask you to listen and that the law firm of Mills Bros. have to say and weigh it carefully."

Mr Mills finished a few minutes before 12 o'clock and court was adjourned until 1.30 p. m.

How to Prevent Pneumonia.

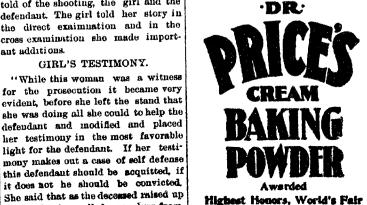
withdrawn from Pana at once, Dow- the one killed must be the assailant epidemic of la grippe a few years ago edy in the world for bad colds and la grippe. Every bottle warranted. by the receiver in the operation of the Forsale by J. E. King and C. F. Shil-road shall be applied as follows:

Grand Jury Thanks.

W. E. Moser, foreman, and T. J. Wright, secretary, of the grand jury now in session, called this afternoon to return thanks in the name of the for him to fire the fatal shot. In his jury to Quinn & Seeforth for the sarprise gift of a box of "Little Duko" cigars. The jurymen desire it stated that the cigars and Quinn & Secforth of them. are all right.

> meet tomorrow (Saturday) evening at the Decatur club at 8 o'clock. Com-

> > A PURE GRAPE CREAM OF TARTAR POWDER



Gold Medal, Midwinter Pale

interest since March 1, 1898.

The financial and physical condition of the road is set forth in the papers filed, showing that the carnings have not been sufficient to meet the fixed charges for operating expenses, for the diafts made for paving improvements and pay the interest on the bonds.

BOND HOLDERS' NOTICE.

Filed with the petition is this doenment which is self-explanatory and marked Exhibit "A." 'To the American Trust and Savings

Bank, Chicago, Ill. "We, the undersigned, holders of a majority of the first mortgage bonds of the City Electric Railway company of Decatur, 111., would respectfully

represent unto you as follows: '(1.) That we are the present holders in number and value of a majority of the first mortgage bonds of "He said he went to the river after the City Electric Railway company (his fish but he did not need his re- Decatur, Ill., issued by said company

> "(2.) That said company made default in the paymer & of the interest coupons at maturity & ' upon presentation to you on the lat . . of Map 1898, and such default has

tinued for more than six months. "(3). That we as such bond holders, under and by virtue of the power and

"(4.) We hereby request that you

to what the attorneys for the defense of Decatur, Ill., be authorized and directed to take charge of said pro-

> No. of Am't of Bonds. NAMES.

2,00**0** 23,500

UNDER A RECEIVER.

It is asked that the money collected

leirst-To the payment of expenses and compensation of such receiver. Second-To the payment of the taxes and special assessments.

Third-To the keeping of said property in good repair and condition, and Fourth-The balance if any shall be applied towards the payment of said bonds and interest coupons or either The meeting at which final action

was taken by the bondholders was held on Thursday, January 12, and to-The Assembly Dancing club will day the petition was filed. The other bondholders not repre-

sented in the above notice are Charles P. Housum of Decatur, \$25,000, and a Cincinnati party, \$25,000.

The amount of interest defaulted to date is about \$6750.

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WOOD ON BEEF

He Found It Good in Cuba and Used It

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13. question General Leonard Wood, military naintain governor of Santiago, Cuba, was of the a witness before the war investigating committee today. His testimony bore on general conditions in the island He opened with a statement that never had there been so successful a nd hoped campaign with so small loss of we would life. He praised the quality of but by the beef furnished the army, and said that except for some cans. which were fainted, and couseommuttee quently thrown away, the beef as of good quality and he had used it both in the war and in his own family.

Free Pilla. Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. Those pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Layer troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guarated to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely egistable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomathle distributions and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c per box. Sold by J. E. King and C. F. Shilling, Druggists. Send your address to H E. Bucklen &

MATANZAS. Jan. 12.-The ic chances an arm Spanish transport Chandsrnagor als among sailed for Cadiz today with 600 Mr. and sick men on board.

1 to the General Sanger has burned the barracks formerly occupied by the reconcentrados in order to kill the disease germs. RIKERS.

Will Filed.

13 -The The will of the late P. W. Blankenreceived ship has been filed for probate in the State Or- county court Judge Hammer set Fobminissaly mary 6 as the time for the hearing on h of 600 the petition.

will be Eldorado Street Case. The hearing in the East Eldorado struct case, which was to have come up this morning, was postponed until

This celebrated remedy is most effi-cient and will cure a cold at once.

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Promptly oures Stubborn Colds. Depes are small and pleasant to take. Docto scommend it. Frice 25 etc. At all druggis

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REDUCED PRICES... Men's \$5.00 and \$6.00 Pants at \$3.95.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Davis-Cabs 25c, Trunks 1gc. Smoke the Little Joker-5 cent cigar Geo. W. Ehrhart loans money on any goods. Collateral, best rates. mch22-tf

You pay a little more for the clothes that Denz makes but—

.-Dr. J. G. Ellis made a professional call at Harristown this morning and was at Cerro Gordo this afternoon. California fruits at Glessner's, 148

-Miss Hatfield, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Z. T. Hatfield, is ill.

Paul Perry, of Columbus, Ga., suffered agony for thirty years, and then cured his Piles by using De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. It heals injuries and skin diseases like magic. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shilling, East

-The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. T Edward Downey was seriously ill yesterday, but is better today.

-Dr. Will Dunn, who has lately returned from a year's study in Vienna has taken office rooms in the Millikin building and is now in Chicago for the purpose of purchasing office fixtures and apparatus.

Notice.

All persons who are indebted to counts as I have sold out my business. deorge W. Powers. -10-dlw

Five Per Cent Money. We have on hand a special fund to oan on first class real estate security at 5 per cent interest. Call at once. Peddecord, Burrows & Co. -- 81-dtf

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Pana Until Forced to Do So.

TAYLORVILLE, ILL., January 18. -The attitude which Sheriff Thomas Downey would assume if the state troops were withdrawn from Pana has been a matter of much speculation. Downey owes his election to the white under no circumstances would be ap the conditions under which one man point special deputies to protect the may take the life of another." or the lives of the non-union negro

every means within its power to proserve order. Of course, if I see that the defendant to save himself. the city authorities can not cope with

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CLEVENGER

was about eight feet long. Telford and the girl were seated on the east You Buy THE BEST Groceries fork of the log. When I first saw him he had gotten up, was about four feet from the girl. He came around the south end of the log and after he got out in the road facing north toward me and fired and missed me. I made a rush for him and fired when about five feet from him. He turned when he fired his last shot and I fired.

CLOSELY QUESTIONED. Attorney Mills questioned the wit. ness closely in regard to the exact movements of himself and Telford vancing as he says they were. He while the shooting took place. Clevenger made an excellent witness. With all of the cross questioning he did not contradict himself on any material point excepting that he said noise in the bushes and when they whon all four shots were fired.

"Then," said Mr. Mills, "you were both advancing toward each other when all four shots were fired and yet you shot Telford in the back. That is

Clevenger was then excused after having been on the stand for an hour and a half. He was perfectly cool throughout his examination and did not seem to become at all excited. ANDREW J. CLIFTON.

The defense called Andrew J. Clifwhile they were atttending a dance.

with Telford, but that he did not she should swear to while he had the strike him. Mr. Mills asked the wit- conversation at the house. She swore ness if he was the same Andrew J. George W. Powers' shoe store will Clifton who was tried in this court please call at once and pay their ac- for hog stealing. The objection of Mr. Redmon was sustained.

In answer to a question by Mr. Redmon the witness said he had trouble with Telford, but had shook hands story. You would not say that you and made up with him and then had revenge, but would have said you talking to a girl.

Testified that he saw people comng from the Telford place on the afernoon of the shooting. Attorney Redmon then announced

MR. MILLS' SPEECH.

ished and there was a short recess.

State's Attorney Opened the Argument for the Prosecution.

Judge Vail allowed each side three hours for arguments. State's Attor- according to his own testimony. ney Mills, in opening the argument, said to the jury:

"When I opened this case I explained of a human being with malice aforeclosed and I therefore did not specuthe defense. The shooting is admitted,

Mr. Mills read the law in regard to killing in self defense. The law states laborers employed by them. When that in order to kill in self defense the shown Governor Tanner's announce- danger must be so argent that the kill-

not appeal to me for assistance until "in this case was the pistol shot. In was used. It counteracts the tendency the local government has exhausted order that the killing be in self defense the shot must have been fired when it was absolutely necessary for "In the first place the defendant

the situation then I will act, and, if upon the stand did not claim to this neessary, will demand of Governor jury that when he fired the shot that Tanner that the troops be returned to about to lose his life. He says that after Telford fired the second shot he turned to run away from him. If this was the case there was no necessity direct testimony he said the deceased was 15 feet south of that log. "He claims that the deceased came

around the south end of the log and that they kept rushing together and firing and when the deceased turned to go away the last shot was fired and the deceased hit in the back. THE ISSUE.

"The issue is whether when that last shot was fired the defendant was in danger of being killed or receiving great bodily harm. Two witnesses told of the shooting, the girl and the defendant. The girl told her story in the direct examination and in the cross examination she made important additions.

GIRL'S TESTIMONY.

for the presecution it became very evident, before she left the stand that she was doing all she could to help the defendant and modified and placed her testimony in the most favorable light for the defendant. If her testi mony makes out a case of self defense this defendant should be acquitted, if it does not he should be convicted. She said that as the decessed raised up off the log he pulled a revolver from his waistoost and that the defendan

was about 40 feet away, and that a was about 40 feet away, and that a shot was fired by the deceased. She said that as the deceased was running away the defendant fired the shot which killed the deceased. I submit to you whether it was necessary in self defense for Olevenger in self de- The City Electric Railway fense to fire the shot while Telford was trying to escape and then after he fell to go to him and pound him over the head until his skull was fractured. If you say that is self defense there

the state of Illinois.

revolver. You are not bound to believe that statement and in my judgment he never had one. If Telford had a revolver he would have had some evidence of it in his body if they were eight feet together and adstated that three shots were fired while they were advancing and yet not a hair was touched on either. She said that they were startled by the both he and Telford were advancing saw him he was 40 paces away with his revolver in his right hand and not in his left hand.

DOES NOT DENY.

the girl until he came to the point cage, by and with the consent of the where the couple arose from the log holders of the first mortgage bonds. and the first shot was fired. He doesn't even deny what she claims he said \$300,000 and the bonded indebtedness after the shooting. He don't deny is about \$175,000, bonds drawing inthat he called to Telford nor does he deny stopping at the pump to wash able semi-annually. that dog's blood from his hands. ton, who testified that Telford hit He does not deny that he asked the him over the head with a neck yoke officer to let him have a secret conference with the woman at the house In the cross examination the wit- and he was permitted to do so. He ness said that he had a little trouble does not deny telling the girl what filed, showing that the carnings have

"Look at this case. If one of you killed another man in self defense would you not declare it at once instead of trailing around after some woman or man to tell a different sneaked up behind him while he was did it to save your life. You would not have called to the man. You would not have said you wanted to wash this dog's blood from my hands,' nor would you have asked the girl to tell another story to save him from the ponttentiary.

COLD BLOODED.

volver nor extra cartridges. The mur- on the 1st day of March, 1892, and se-

that murder was the unlawful killing here in regard to Clevenger's characfense to be relied upon was not dis- high in the scale in society. His wife late upon it. We now have before us hunting for them he comes to another foreclose said trust deed, that for that county to meet a maried woman and purpose proceedings be commenced in but that while the accused did do the after knowing her three hours he the circuit court of Macon county, shooting and killing he did it because Promises to marry her. I submit this III., at the January term, A. D., 1899, miners of Pana. It is said he secured it was necessary to self defense. The statement to you and ask you to listen and that the law firm of Mills Bros. their votes with the promise that law guards human life and lays down to what the attorneys for the defense of Decatur, Ill., be authorized and have to say and weigh it carefully."

before 12 o'clock and court was ad-

How to Prevent Pneumonia.

You are perhaps aware that pneushown Governor Tanner's announce danger must be so argent that the killmonia always results from a cold or from an attack of la grippe. During the epidemic of la grippe a few years ago when so many cases resulted in pneumonia, it was observed that the attack was never followed by that disease when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the total place noed of the place noed of monia always results from a cold or dangerous disease. It is the best remedy in the world for bad colds and la grippe. Every bottle warranted. by the receiver in the operation of the For sale by J. E. King and C. F. Shil-

Grand Jury Thanks.

Notice.

meet tomorrow (Saturday) evening at the Decatur club-at 8 o'clock. Com-



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in Court

should be a new law added to those of RONDHOLDERS WANT MONEY

The Company Has Defaulted in Payment of Bond interest Since March I, 1898-Petition Presented to Judge Vail.

The City Electric Street Railway company is to go into the hands of a receiver.

The receiver will probably be W. L. Shellabarger, secretary of the com-

The petition for the appointment of a receiver was filed in the Macou county circuit court this forencon by Mills Bros., solicitors for the Ameritradict one thing in the testimony of can Trust and Savings Bank of Chi-

> The capital stock of the company is terest at the rate of 6 per cent, pay-The petition sets forth that there

has been default in the payment of interest since March 1, 1898. The financial and physical condition

of the road is set forth in the papers not been sufficient to meet the fixed charges for operating expenses, for the diafts made for paving improvements and pay the interest on the bonds.

BOND HOLDERS' NOTICE.

Filed with the petition is this document which is self-explanatory and marked Exhibit "A." "To the American Trust and Savings

Bank, Chicago, Ill. "We, the undersigned, holders of a majority of the first mortgage bonds of the City Electric Railway company

of Decatur, Ill., would respectfully represent unto you as follows: "(1.) That we are the present holders in number and value of a majority of the first mortgage bonds of "He said he went to the river after the City Electric Railway company & his fish but he did not need his re- Decatur, Ill., issued by said company

> trustee of even date. "(2.) That said company made decoupons at maturity & ' upon prosentation to you on the 1st . . . I Map 1898, and such default has

> tinued for more than six months. "(3). That we as such bond holders, under and by virtue of the power and

"(4.) We hereby request that you

directed to take charge of said pro-"Dated at Decatur, this 24th day of

No. of Am't of Bonds. D. B. Shellabarger 100 \$50,000 The National Bank of De-2,00**0** 23,500

Nellie M. Jackson UNDER A RECEIVER.

It is asked that the money collected road shall be applied as follows: First-To the payment of expenses

and compensation of such receiver. Second-To the payment of the taxes and special assessments. Third-To the keeping of said prop-

erty in good repair and condition, and Fourth-The balance if any shall be applied towards the payment of said bonds and interest coupous or either The meeting at which final action

was taken by the bondholders was held on Thursday, January 12, and to-The Assembly Dancing club will day the petition was filed. The other bondholders not repre sented in the above notice are Charles

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der was not done in self defense, but cured by a certain trust deed upon its was done with a spirit of revenge, properties and franchises to you as Never was a more cold blooded murder committed nor was there ever a more cold blooded exhibition after a fault in the paymers of the interest murder than was shown by this man, "Several good witnesses testified

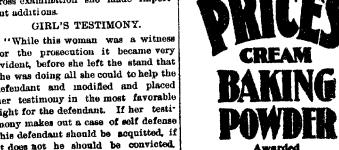
tor. They were good men, but their authority conferred upon us by said the Will Not Appoint Deputies for thought. I can but repeat to evidence cuts no figure in this case. trust deed, have elected to declare, you the law in regard to mur. It is not claimed that he killed anyone and do hereby declare all of such I said I did not know or had any trouble at Casner. The bonds immediately due and payable, what the defense would be as the dedeendant is shown to be a man not principal and interest. and children left him and instead of an such trustee, proceed at once to

Mr Mills finished a few minutes ceedings.

ourned until 1.30 p. m

W. E. Moser, foreman, and T. J. Wright, secretary, of the grand jury now in session, called this afternoon to return thanks in the name of the for him to fire the fatal shot. In his jury to Quinn & Seeforth for the sarprise gift of a box of "Little Duko" cigars. The jurymen desire it stated that the cigars and Quinn & Secforth of them. are all right.

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ion h Water street, Decatur, Illinois

FRIDAY, JANUARY 13, 1899.

MUGWUMP UNFAIRNESS.

New York Mail and Express: Marvolous at all times-but more marvel ous at some times than at others-are the contortions of the prize members of the mugwump press in their efforts to discredit a tariff system the astounding benefits of which puzzle them, but the virtue of which they cannot bring their rancorous hate to recognize. The results of the squirming which wasts upon this policy of wilful blindness are ludicrous when they are not contemptible; and nothing in the way of recent endeavor to discredit what they will not understand has been more helplessly absurd upon the incorporation on Thursday last of the tru plate companies, with a capital of \$50,000,000.

It has long been a sore point with the mugwumps that under the Me-Kinley tariff their persistent and defiant predictions concerning American fin plate were smashed and scattered to the free trade winds. The infant industry they ridiculed became eventually so robust as to seriously threaten the Welsh market, and finally to kill that market in the United States save as to certain limited products. We have even gone so far as to undersell Great Britain in South Wales with steel plates, the chief raw material used by tin plate manufacturers.

The "trust" now formed operates under a protective tariff of 112 cents per pound. The Post is gravely agitated and inspired to fresh assault because it assumes that, just as domestic success in competition with foreign makers, and the reduced price of raw material, made possible a reduction in price to the American consumer, a trust is formed to prevent the realization of this expectation. Therefore, says inferentially the common scold of journalism, the protective tariff which paved the way for this is a scoundrel, worthy of the lash of all honest men.

Whether this new corporation proposes to insure that reduction in price which the economy of administration in production renders possible, or will use its increased opportunities oppressively for the maintenance of unwarvantable rates, we are not prepared to predict. But if anything siliter in economic debate can be produced than an assault upon a tariff which has built up a great industry, merely be cause certain men may combine their capital for absolute control of that industry, it is beyond our ken.

Why not praise the tariff and condemn those who may abuse its fruits? In other words, why not be same?

FORAKER CONSISTENT.

Senator Foraker, who was one of the enthusiasts in the Senate favoring the recognition of the so-called Cuban republic before the war, unlike Senadisposed now to join hands with Senthings to enter into a war against Spain, and who are now against expausion. Senator Foraker favors ex-Hale and Hoar, who now plead for the Filipinos, were opposed to the war C. F. Shilling. with Spain on the ground that the Cubans were not worth fighting for. Senator Mason was opposed to the United States making war against Spain except for the Cuban republic. Had his course been followed instead of Dewey sinking the Spanish fleet and holding Manila, the latter would have been pounding away at our Pa. offic coast, while Dewey, out of coal, bave been locked up in a End Drug Store. would have been locked up in a Chinese harbor.

The American mule follows the flag. He is now in Manila and Porto Rico and Cuba. So far it is not stated whether the American mule has sounded the reveille in Guam or interfered with the ceremonies in Wake Island. If he is not there he will soon make his appearance.

St Louis Globe-Democrat: "What are the volunteers in the Philippines thinking about these days?" asks an anti-expansion paper. They are thinking that Aguinaldo would have subsided long ago but for the copporhead encouragement he receives from this

Buckies s Arnina dalve. The Best Salve in the world for Outstruines, Sores, Ulcere, Salt Rheum Fever Bores, Tetter, Ohapped Hands Chilblaine, Corns, and all Skin Ecuptions and positively sures Piles, or no pay re-quired. It is guaranteed to give perfect astisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 canta per box. For saie by J. E. King and C. F. Shilling.

Every library should try to be complete on something, if it were only the history of pinheads. - Holmes.

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Decatur People Appreciate a Good Everybody has their hour of trouble.

But people having any itchiness of Have many hours of trouble.

Nothing so annoying, nothing so ritating.

the skin

It's a hard and trying position. Scratch it, it becomes worse Leave it alone and you can hardly car the misery.

ftchiness comes in many forms Eczema and horrid itching piles. Relief and cure has come at last. Decatur has put it to the test. Doan's Cintment cures every form

of itchiness of the skin. People at home are learning this is

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Mrs. J. C. Russell, of 1020 North College street, says:

"During the summer of 1897, my little girl 10 years old was very much annoyed from mosquito poisoning and bites. I had a box of Doan's Ointment in the house and I commenced to use it. The first application relieved the irritation and the swelling than the comment of the Evening soon disappeared.

Mrs. Elliott, has also used Doan's soon disappeared. A former neighbor, Oitment in her family for eczema and spoke very highly of it to me on several occasions. From my own experience and that of other whom I am ac quainted with, I know that Doan's Oitment is an excellent remedy and worthy of recommendation. "

Doan's Cintment for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed upon receipt of price by Foster-Milbarn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

Well Received.
()ttinger- How did old Manyblessed take it last night when you told him you wished to marry his eldest daugh-Henriques-I rather imagine he

wished that I was a Mormon.—Puck. How He Gets That Way. Little Johnny-Papa, what's a hypo

Papa--- Ile is a fellow who only sees his good chances by looking back .-Chicago Evening News.

A Burst of Frankness. Merchant-What are your qualifications for this business? Applicant-I can't get anything else

Why Didn't Hef

"This," said the police judge the other morning, "is one of the most aggravated cases of assault and battery ver brought to my official notice. How could a big, able-hodied man like vou strike a deaf mute?"
"Do you m'ane that he could n'ayther

p'ake nor h'are?" 'That's precisely what I mean.'

"Thin, sor, why the divil didn't he soy so?"-Detroit Free Press.

First Dude-Seventy-five dollars you ay that suit cost? Tell that to the

Second Dude—I beg your pardon, I can prove it to you. Up to date I have received at least 50 bills for same.—N. Y World.

La Grippe Successfully Treated.

ond attack of la grippe this year," says Mr. James A. Jones, publisher of the Leader, Mexic. Texas. "In the latter case I used Chamberlain's Cough Romedy, and I think with considerable suctor Mason, who was another, is not days against ten days for the former atcess, only being in bed a little over two ator Hale and Senator Hoar, who were fied would have been equally as bad as tack. The second attack I am eatisthe first but for the use of this remedy as I had to go to bed in about six hours after being 'struck' with it, while in the first case I was able to attend to pansion and is thus consistent, while business about two days before getting 'down.'" For sale by J. E. King and

> A woman's smile may attract a man, but it takes an angelic temper to hold him.

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Au Ohio man married an heiress and tried to prove that he didn't care for her money by spending every cent of

Food does more harm than good when not digested. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat. It prevents wasting diseases and cures stomach troubles. wasting diseases and cures stomach troubles. It cures indigestion, sour stomach and belching, and allows a wornout stomach rest. It acts instantly. II. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shilling. East End Drug Store.

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To insure a happy new year, keep the liver clear and the body vigorous busing De Witt's Little Early Risers, th famous little pills for constipation and liver troubles. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shillng, East End Drug Stere.

Look out for explosions; the wintry blasts are blowing up streets and alleys everywhere. Another Good Man Gone Wrong.

Hefailed to use Foley's Kidney Cure or his kidney complaint it. W. Bell K. L. Krone, W. H. Hubbard

Miss Ellen Terry is a clever banjo

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"What did that man do to make himself so famous?" asked the inquirer gazing curiously on an individual who formed the center of a social group.
"To the best of my knowledge," replied the cynic, "he did the public."— Stray Stories.

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MUGWUMP UNFAIRNESS.

New York Mail and Express: Mar volous at all times-but more marvel ous at some times than at others-are the contortions of the prize members of the mugwump press in their efforts to discredit a tariff system the astounding benefits of which puzzle them, but the virtue of which they cannot bring their rancorous hate to recognize. The results of the squirming which waits upon this policy of wilful blindness are Indicrous when they are not contemptible; and nothing in the way of recent endeavor to discredit what they will not understand has been more helplessly absurd upon the incorporation on Thursday last of the tin plate companies, with a capital of \$50,000,000.

It has long been a sore point with the magwamps that under the Me-Kinley tariff their persistent and deflant predictions concerning American fin plate were smashed and scattered to the free trade winds. The infant industry they ridiculed became eventually so robust as to seriously threaten the Welsh market, and finally to kill that market in the United States save as to certain limited products. We have even gone so far as to undersell Great Britain in South Wales with steel plates, the chief raw material used by tin plate manufacturers. The "trust" now formed operates

under a protective tariff of 112 cents per pound. The Post is gravely agitated and inspired to fresh assault because it assumes that, inst as domestic success in competition with foreign makers, and the reduced price of raw material, made possible a reduction in price to the American consumer, a trust is formed to prevent the realization of this expectation. Therefore, says inferentially the common scold of journalism, the protective tariff which paved the way for this is a scoundrel, worthy of the lash of all honest men. Whether this new corporation pro-

poses to insure that reduction in price which the economy of administration in production renders possible, or will use its increased opportunities oppressively for the maintenance of unwar vantable rates, we are not prepared to predict. But if anything siliter in economic debate can be produced than an assault upon a tariff which has built up a great industry, merely be cause certain men may combine their capital for absolute control of that industry, it is beyond our ken.

Why not praise the tariff and condemn those who may abuse its fruits? In other words, why not be same?

FORAKER CONSISTENT.

Senator Foraker, who was one of the enthusiasts in the Senate favoring the recognition of the so-called Cuban republic before the war, unlike Semitor Mason, who was another, is not disposed now to join hands with Sentack. The second attack I am satisator Hale and Senator Hoar, who were under mny condition of things to enter into a war against Spain, and who are now against ex- hours after being 'struck' with it, while pansion. Senator Foraker favors ex-Filipinos, were opposed to the war C. F. Shilling. with Spain on the ground that the Cubans were not worth fighting for. Senator Mason was opposed to the United States making war against Spain except for the Cuban republic. Spain except for the Cuban republic.
Had his course been followed instead of Dewey sinking the Spanish fleet and holding Mantla, the latter would have been pounding away at our Pa. cife coast, while Dewey, out of coal, lead Dever Store. would have been locked up in a Chinese harbor.

The American mule follows the flag. He is now in Manila and Porto Rico and Cuba. So far it is not stated whether the American mule has sounded the reveille in Guam or interfered with the ceremonies in Wake Island. If he is not there he will soon make his appearance.

St Louis Globe-Democrat: "What are the volunteers in the Philippines thinking about those days?" asks an anti-expansion paper. They are thinking that Aguinaldo would have subsided long ago but for the copporhead encouragement he receives from this

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Well Received. Ottinger- How did old Manyblessed take it last night when you told him you wished to marry his eldest daugh-

Henriques-I rather imagine he wished that I was a Mormon.—Puck. How He Gets That Way. Little Johnny-Papa, what's a hypo-

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A Burst of Frankness. Merchant- What are your qualificalions for this business? Applicant-I can't get anything else

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"Do you m'ane that he could n'ay the p'ake nor h'are?"

"That's precisely what I mean." "Thin, sor, why the divil didn't he oy so?"-Detroit Free Press.

A Give-Away.

First Dude-Seventy-five dollars you ay that suit cost? Tell that to the marines! Second Dude-I beg your pardon,

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Works of Art I nearthed by Accident Several of the finest ancient sculptures have been discovered by pure ac cident, in comparatively recent times. The famous Apollo Belvedere, now in the Vatienn, was brought to light only about 400 years ago, at Antium, where many art treasures of the Roman rulers were once stored. The group of the Laocoou was dug from the ruins of the baths of the emperor Titus, and the stately Venus of Milo, or Melos, lay an island of the Mediterranean before it was found by a lucky chance. Undoubtedly there are plenty more of equal value under Italian and Greenn ground if people only knew where to look.—E. H. House, in St. Nicholas,

The exhumation of the bodies of Car Poy and Ah Ben, two Chinese who died at Barooga, New South Wales, about ten years ago, lately took place, by the authority of the colonial secretary. Two Chinese came from Deniliquin tor NORTH the purpose. Proceedings commenced by placing lighted tapers and a baked WATER fowl and other food on the graves, with a bowl of whisky, into which the Chinese dipped with small cups and drotk as they regaled themselves with the food. Each skeleton was taken up, and the bones carefully scraped and separately sewn up in calico and labeled with the names of deceased for deportation to China.

The Last Resort. "After all, a mother-m-law is a pretty good thing to have sometimes." "What wonderful experience have

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From Oklahoma.

"deer Santa Claws--plecze bring me a bronko and a grate big revolver and a riffle. I dont want no noc's ark nor no sech stuff caus I'm most a man if you dont gimme what I want I'll tell my big brother to lay fer you, he's a bad man and kin shute as strate as eny

"yures trooley Jimmy .- Truth. What He Wanted It For.

"I want a potite of the Seven Westerland Brothers' hair restorer," said the stranger, as he extered the drug store. "Do you want it for your whiskers?" asked the clerk.

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Not So find After All.

"What did that man do to make him-self so famous?" asked the inquirer gazing curiously on an individual who formed the center of a social group. "To the best of my knowledge," re plied the cynic, "he did the public."-Stray Stories.

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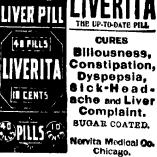
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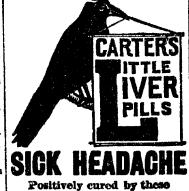
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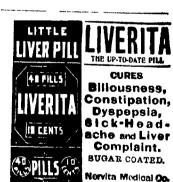
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"We are never amazed when vessels go aground and are wrecked on Lake I'm during the gales that are common on that treacherous water, for we community tyrinmizes over his family expect such things then,' said a lake slipper, "but when one is grounded r clear day and we cked, on a course n cear as the day and in the hands of r pilot that krews the ground like a bock we raturally worder a little and varteluow the why sand wheret nes Such was the case of the propeller Sucan ! Peck that went aground near Par Point and was lost with a 5-0 000

mem ed in shells which he rough y The caption of the Susan L. had pherical in form and have somewhat the apeniance of rusts common bals. silled succe fully hundreds of times In the trepred texests there ir another nut bearing plant which goes und r between Peint Peles and Par Point and the name of the cannoul of tree. The r ill find of weather and this time he had a wheelman who was known and hells are a nost perfectly sphere call and would readily be most kentor from one cid of the lake to the other as one of the most expert navigator in the lake business. He had been by ing up a long time for the very good A call water the protection service tenson that owing to an accident to has been established in Poston for a the of his legs that leg had to be ampulimited area. A line of pipe has been laid to a point near the post office und a number of hydrants laid on it. This ber was replaced by an artificial legand then the pilot was ready to take it is hoped, is the beginning of a comhis jost at the wheel again. His first prehensive system of macpendent fre protection for the business district of ectivice after his rusfertune was this trip of the Susan 1-1 ck and he run the city. Such a system has been advo-

ated for a number of years - Chergo her agreemed Too Good a Hergain to He Missed it was possible to the propeller that hed by a min of such siell and expected." "The puzzle to everyb de was low they cold discover with was wrong power on them with his scarr ishin. After awhile ! they disco cied what they believed wathe trimble 1 the plots artificallies egrene deal of tech hid ben used a public usual punishment is forbidd n by the joint are other places. Sittito the binical a he did while cerme this steel leringed the com-The large trice in the enginer ham sphere if not in the world is schestnut pra so that it drew the wheeling was off his recomme and led to the standing at the foot of Mount Actua w ong pilot ng that had wrecked the The occumference of their ain trurkat of the occumference of the number of feet from the grean bear feet.— other resel that the wheelman navious from fultering all one bent has She-Bees will not hurt you if they He-Well, I'm sorry I was not introduced to one I met last summer then, Peck was solved and the pilot was to that's all Ive got to say -Yonkers tored to he old place in the confidence of Lake I me sk ppers and vessel own 15'-X 1 5mm England has adopted a resolution for

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Everybody tries to keep out of a po-Big Tree. litical scrap and hardly anybody does. The largest tree in the eastern hemimhere, if not in the world is a chestnut standing at the foot of Mount Actua The circumference of the main trunk at 60 feet from the groun i is 212 feet .-

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I advise all who are suffering not only to use Dr Pierce's medicines but to get his advice also for it has help I me so much I cannot say enough in priese of both the advice and the renders I look on your mechanics us being a God send and will ask God to guide suffering himanity to the rich relate and allments peen himanity to the rich relate

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firs. Wagg turn's Hebit of Talking Gets Let Into an Aukward Situation

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Jes., Att. Mikiting said quink perfence on a strught course only 1) tents overdre site inchildren. I thank mic long and with every uling con that the suspense that is dreed the better, and i is positively painful to The pilot was the most puzzled and me to see a "the chief everdressed Of istorned person of all. He soon but from e, it is also the effects them rother ve cl, and this one he ran in such an errot e manner but fortunite by with no distrous result that he has considered by the rother transfer of childhood. One of ny results to the rother boars of childhood. was compelled to give her up and he usecomes is a pilot via ron. He and others were to invest the rose of the same and shorts were to invest the rose of the same and same core from the following the same and the same and same an

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"Yes I would I I-xh —I hope— "You have told her o mid im!"

"Why - 1 I -" "I'll let you I now that that is my little gal you've been talking about so, and I can tell you that-"

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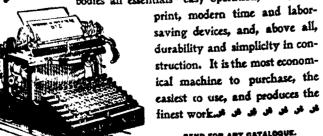
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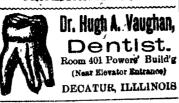
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Master in Chancery's Sale. State of Illincis, Macon County, ss.

William L. Hammer et al, complainant, ve. Mildred T. Hammer et al, defendants—in Chancery, No. 16 840
Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Muson county in the state of Illinois entered in the above entitled cause at the October term of said court A. D. 1884, I. James J. Finn, master in chancery of said court, will on

Wednesday, February 8, 1899, Wednesday, February 8, 1899, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. at the north door of the court house on East Wood street, in the city of Decatur, in said county, offer for asie at public vendue to the highest and best hidder, the real estate in said decree ordered to be sold, being described as follows, to wit Lois dro (5), aix (6), sevon (7), in block one (1) of Kanan s Addition to the City of Decatur, in Macon county llinois

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Thursday, Feb. 2, 1899,

That said plainess will be used by virtue of an order and decree of the county court of Macon county. Illinois pronounced at the January term, A. D. 1860 in the matter of the administration of said cetate.

Dated the 4th day January, A. D. 1899.

MARTHA A. WIFHGOTT.

Administratrix of the Estate of James Withgott, Deceased

Executor's Notice. Estate of Joseph P. Smallwood, Dece

ersigned.
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Of Reduction of Capital Stock of Decatur Furniture Company.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

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THE DECATUR FURNITURE COMPANY, By JOHN B PRESTLEY, Secretary.

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Stockholders' Meeling. The annual meeting of the stockholders of People's Savings and Loan Association will held at its office, 149 South Water street in terry of Decatur, on Monday, January 16, 1899, 8 o'clock p. m. of said day, for the election two directors, and also for the transaction such other business as may come before

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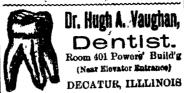
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Public notice is hereby given that I, as executor of the last Will and Testament of Susannah Hushart, will, on Saturday, the 28th day of January, 1899, at the hour of 2 o'clook p. m., at the north door of the court house in Decatur, in said county, offer for asie at public vendue to the highest and best bidder, the real estate owned by the said Susannah Bushart at the time of her death, to-wit: The west half of the southeast quarter of section 22, township is morth, range 4 east of the 3d p, m., (lying one-half mile east of the village of Caener.) Also Lots Twenty-one, Twenty-two, Twenty-three and Twenty-fore, in Blook Two of the Village of Caener, also the undivided half of the following described real estate, to-wit, Lot Six and the east half of Lot Seven, all in Blook Eight of Ruserside Place, Decutar.

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Dated at Decatur, Ili, December 28, 1898

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Master in Chancery's Sale. State of Illincis, Macon County, 88. In the Circuit Court.

In the Orecut Court.

William L. Hammer et al. complainant, ve. Mildred T. Hammer et al. defendants—In Chancery, No. 18 849
Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county in the state of Illinois entered in the above entitled cause at the October term of said court A. D. 1888, I. James J. Finn, master in chancery of said court, will on

Wednesday, February 8, 1899, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the north door of the court house on East Wood street, in the city of Decatur, in said county, offer for asle at public vendue to the highest and best hidder, the real estate in said decree ordered to be sold, being described as follows, to.wit Lots dro (5), aix (6), seven (7), in block one (1) of Kanan s Addition to the City of Decatur, in Macon county Illinois

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Notice is hereby given that I will, as administratrix of the ostate of James Withgott deceased, at the north door of the court house, in the city of Docatur, Macon (ounty, Illinois, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of Thursday, Feb. 2, 1899,

sell at public vondus to the highest bidder, certain premises strated in the county of Maccon and State of Hinnes and described as follows, to with An undivided one-half interest in the northwest quarter of section thirty-three (38) in township sixteen (16) north, range three (3) cast of the third principal meridian.

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Dated this 4th day January, A D. 1899,

MARTHAA WITHGOTT

Administratrix of the Estate of James Withgott, Deceased

Executor's Notice.

Estate of Joseph P. Smallwood, Dece Estate of Joseph P. Smallwood, Deceased.

The undersigned hyving been appointed ox enter of the estate of Joseph P. Smallwood late of the county of Macon, and State of this moss, deceased hereby gives notace that he will appear before the county court of Maco county, at the court house in Decatur at the March term, on the first Monday in March next at which time all persons having claims agains and estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted All persons indebted to suid estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

ersigned.
Duted this 5th day of January, 1899
ORVILLE B GORIN, Fxecutor.
W. T. Cussins, Attorney.
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THE DECATUR FURNITURE COMPANY, By JOHN B PRESTLEY, Secretary.

Stockholders' Meeting.

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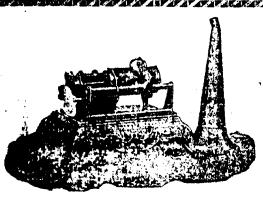
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Died at San Antonio.

Hugh J. Nyce, who was at one time connected with the Young Bros. & Maris firm, and is well known in the January 6. Ho was married but had no children.

Monticello Wedding.

Miss Jessie Statford and James Vent of Monticello were married last evening at the home of the bride at that

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and richly nourish the system. A hot dish can instantly be served by pouring hot milk or cream on Grape-

* HUMANE SOCIETY

Will Hold Annual Election of Officers This Evening.

The Decatur Humane society will hold a meeting at the office of William R. Bresie this evening. The annual election of officers will be held and other business discussed.

The society was organized just one

year ago and during the year has done great deal of work in a quiet way They have had copies of the law printed and tacked up in blackswith shops, livery tarns, railway station and numerous places. There have been no cases presecuted but in a case of cruelty to animals a postal card has been given to the offender and the motives of the organization explained. together with the information that an eye would be kept on all cases of suspected cruelty and if it were persisted in prosecution would follow. This has been sufficient in all cases so far and the society are hopeful that a better understanding of the requirements of the law will bring about the desired conditions, in a measure at least. The present president is W. J. Wayne.

ILLINOIS SWINE BREEDERS.

TAYLORVILLE, ILL., January 18. -The 11th annual meeting of the Illinois Swine Breeders' assocciation, which was convened here Tuesday, closed last night with a banquet. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: R. Alexander of Charles, president; J. W. Ward of Mount Vernon, vice president; U. G. treasurer. Taylorville was selected as the permanent meeting place of the

EDITOR BOPPE DEAD.

-Herman Boppe, prominently known as the editor of the Freidenker, is dead, aged 57. Boppe was well known in Turner societies throughout the

The contractors of the city have ing on next Tuesday evening these plans will be submitted to the committee, by the different contractors. An offer to take a liberal share of stock was made yesterday by some of the most conservative capitalists of the city, men that the committee were surprised to know were willing to put so much money into the building. The offer came with the stipulation that the building be erected according to their ideas of the bets building for the future good of the city. The meeting of next Tuesday evening will bring forth a number of developments in the work that will show a decided progress towards speedy finish of the oreliminaries

Combination Sale,

Our midwinter combination oarn January 23,

Send in your ontries for live stock, ouggies, wagons, harness, etc.

We offer the best accommodations, employ the best acutioneer, have the best buyers in attendance and on good fairly well attended. The music was Gastman and Grace Moore of the stock will secure the best prices. For of the highest order and the soloists, High school faculty, were appointed entry blanks or any other information address Ed. W. Hill & Co.

chant street Saturday night, January choir of Miss Jeanette Powers, violin, 14, there is going to be a pie and Karl Walter, flate, Leo Heilbrun, coffee social served, the proceeds to violin, and Dr. Childs, cello, made go to defray the expenses of the local this part of the program one of the corps. Tickets 10 cents. All are in- features of the festival. No admission vited to attend. -12-2t

Bowling News.

Some of the members of the Goodman's band have organized a bowling place. Miss Stafford is a sister of D. ing: Mont Peniwell, Charles Housum, Y. Stafford of this city and is well Karl Walter, Tom Metz and Charles day night. The front door was splint-Ruelde,

> The Double Headers and the Moguls, won, scoring 1725 against 1398.

club defeated the members of the elec- were frightened away. There is no trie light team last night. They won clue but it is generally believed that

Country Revivals.

Revival meetings are in progress at a number of the small towns in the vicinity of Decatur, all of them being was injured on Thursday by a fall in the M. E. churches. Rev. Mr. which he received on the ice in front Omstead is holding meetings at Beth- of the High school building. In fallany, Rev. Mr. Edgar at Blue Mound ing his head struck the iron fence and Rev. Mr. Plowman has just con- which encloses the High school cluded a series of successful meetings grounds and a gash two inches in in the Decatur circuit. At Long Creek length was cut in his face. His nose there were 16 conversions and 14 new was also injured. He is on duty tomembers were added to the church.

Death at Maroa.

Glenn, the only child of Mr. and observe how the little folks take to after an illness of only a few hours. Grape Nuts, the famous new food made The funeral will be held Friday from cors in the Oreana lodge.

Macon Has the Orlp. There were 55 cases of grip in the little town of Macon last week. A number have developed this week,

there being several new ones each day. Mrs. McCielland Hostess.

Mrs. Silas E. McClelland entertained the Coffee club at her home at Millikin Place this afternoon.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of the Y. M. C. A. Was Held Last Evening.

J. S. BALDWIN PRESIDENT.

Began.

The annual business meeting of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. was held last evening at the associa tion rooms. All members of the board were in attendance and the meeting was preceded by a banquet which was served at 6:30 o'clock by Mrs. Harry Patterson, Mrs. R. J. Simpson and Misses Alice Schlots and Maud Evans.

After the banquet the last meeting of the board was held and routine business transacted and then there was a general meeting of the members in the following gentlemen being se-

J. P. Eckles, W. C. Outten, J. W. Carter, Milton Johnson, Jr., J. G. Imboden, Dr. J. W. Sanders, H. B.

Informal talks followed, the work of the past year and that of the com-Woodbury of Loami, secretary and ing year being discussed. The condition of the association is now quite hopeful and the board intend to make the ensuing 12 months the best in the history of the association.

The following officers were elected by the board of directors on holding

their first meeting: President-J. S. Baldwin. Vice President-R. J. Simpson.

Treasurer-Milton Johnson, Jr. The members of the board then ad journed until the second Tuesday in The work of remodeling the Y. M.

partitions are being torn down and it years. The story of the comedy is will not be long before the improvements are completed.

Grip Over the Country.

The epidemic of grip is sweeping the country. In every little village in the county the doctors are rushed night and day and are doing the greatest amount of business they have done for years. The symptoms are very much the same, but in several place! are a number of serious cases in the smaller villages and the victims are daily on the increase. The doctor say that the more serious cases are al most always the result of undue ex posure and lack of proper care and precaution after the first symptoms have shown thomselves. A citizen who does a great deal of work over the county said today that he thought he was safe in saving that 40 per cent ill be held at the Culp & Dimock of the population of the county was ill with colds and the grip.

Festival at St. John's.

The choral fastival which was given at St. John's church last evening was Virgil N. Hostetler and Misses Louise Misses Gussie Gorin, Henriotta Cozad, Dy Joseph Grunwald and George Dunston did their work in splendid style, the city. which was liberally appreciated by At the Salvation Army hall on Mer- the audience. The addition to the was charged but an offering was

Burglars at Macon.

Burglars attempted to break into team which is composed of the follow- the hardware and grocery store of Beschle & Gibson of Macon on Tuesered and showed plainly the marks of the crow bar which had been used in two Wabash teams, played last night trying to break the hinges. One panel at Brinkmeyer's alleys. The Moguls of the door was entirely destroyed but the marauders stopped just short of The second team of the Wheelmen's success and it is thought that they home talent was largely concerned in the work.

Brilley Injured.

Pete Brilley of the street car line

J. B. Dinges, the district deputy, ble guids to palatable food and desirable food, and it is worth ones while to observe how the lifts fello tale to Tuesday evening will install the offi-

Present: Messrs. Dav barger, James F. Roach as E. A. Gastman. Absen

Minuie P. Hostetler. The minutes of the last were approved.

The treasurer's report for the me

The superintendent's report of the tuition was examined and accepted. The following bills were ordered

Henderson Bros., \$7.85. A. Miller, \$3.87.

Abel Carpet & Wall Paper Co., \$1.90. Decatur Gas and Electric Co., \$3, 12. Decatur Plumbing and Heating Co., A. J. Wallace, \$4.75.

Eva Myers, \$5. Eagle Pencil Co., \$11.25. Decatur Lumber and Mfg. Co., \$26. Ferguson, Nicholson Co., \$2.18, Morehouse & Wells Co., \$1.15. George S. Lyon & Sons, 99 cents. Palace King Hardware Co., \$3.05. John Salzman, \$1. E. A. Gastman, superintendent,

Central Union Telephone Co., \$49.50.

Minnie P. Hostetler, \$5.50. The superintendent was authorized to purchase mats for the schools.

The resignation of Miss Mabel C. Gale of the High school to take effect February 24, 1899, was read and accepted, and on the recumendations of the superintendent and the principal of the High school, Arthur Patton, a graduate of the Normal University and of Swathmore college, was elected to fill the vacancy. On motion adjourned.

D. S. Shellabarger, President. E. A. Gastman, Clerk.

THE STAGE.

"MONEY TO BURN" TONIGHT.

The two Macks in the new farce comedy, "Money to Burn," which is to be presented here at the Grand tonight is meeting with tremendous success and is causing more laughter than C. A. rooms is now under way. The any other similar organization has in interesting. The audience are kept in convulsions through the entire play; and the specialties, beautiful scenery and funny situations, send them home laughing for a week. The Lynan Twins, seen here with the Holden Comedy company, are features.

INGERSOLL

The Colonel will give his lecture or Superstition" at the Grand Monday evening, January 26.

Will Discuss School Libraries. Miss Katherine Sharp, who is at

the head of the library department of the state university, will be present at the teachers' meeting at the High school on Saturday, January 28, and will give her paper on "Libraries in Public Schools," which she gave at the state teachers' association in Springfield during the holidays. Those who heard Miss Sharp's paper at that time pronounce it one of the most excellent discussions they have ever heard on the subject and the teachers are anticipating it with a great deal

A committee consisting of Mrs. tain Miss Sharp during her stay in

The Fritz Stock.

The J. B. Fritz stock of groceries at the corner of Green and Union streets is in charge of a brother of the missing proprietor, and the clerk, Everett Ehrhardt. No news of the where abouts of Mr. Fritz. There appear to be some claims against Fritz, but the creditors feel secure and will doubtless receive dollar for dollar. The mystery attached to the disap pearance of Fritz deepens. Diligent search is being made for him.

Judge and Mrs. McCauley Appointed. The many friends and acquaintances of Judge and Mrs. McCauley of Olney Ill., will be pleased to hear that the judge has been appointed superintendent of the Soldiers' Orphuns' Home at Normal, and Mrs. McCauley made matron of the institution. Mrs. Me-Cauley is past department resident of the Woman's Relief Corps.

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Louis A. Cle

tentiary :

VERDICT:

Decision was "Gu Jurymen Vote Smiled o

Louis A. Clevenger m years in the penitentiary for killing Bay Telfore Ford, northeast of this evening and the verdict this morning at 9:30 o'c

It was understood this the jury had reached a was awaiting the plea court. Quite a large nu most all of the attorneys

Prisoner Ari

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"We, the jury, find guilty of murder as indictment and fix his confinement in the pe years. ''

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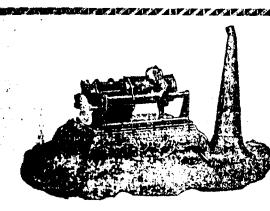
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> A. M. JONES, President. Bethesda Mineral Springs Co., Wauke eba, Wis.

Died at San Antonio.

Hugh J. Nyce, who was at one time Maris firm, and is well known in the January 6. He was married but had no children.

Monticello Wedding.

Miss Jessie Stafford and James Vent of Monticello were married last evening at the home of the bride at that place. Miss Stafford is a sister of D.

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Grape=Nuts∳ INSTINCT.

Taste is Frequently a Valuable Guide in Selecting Food.

A little child's taste is often a reliaole guide to palatable food and desiraby the Postum Co., at Battle Creek,

Children eat Grape-Nuts frequently without addition of sugar, for the food has the peculiar, mild but eatlefying awest of graps-sugar and the natural taste of either of child or adult recognizes at once a food that will agree with and richly nourish the system.

A hot dish can instantly be served by pouring hot milk or cream on Grape-

* HUMANE SOCIETY

Will Hold Annual Election of Officers

This Evening.

The Decatur Humane society will hold a meeting at the office of William R. Bresie this evening. The annual election of officers will be held and other business discussed.

The society was organized just one

year ago and during the year has done great deal of work in a quiet way They have had copies of the law printed and tacked up in blackswith shops, livery tarns, railway station and numerous places. There bave been no cases prosecuted but in a case of cruelty to animals a postal card has been given to the offender and the motives of the organization explained. ogether with the information that an eye would be kept on all cases of suspected cruelty and if it were persisted in prosecution would follow. This has been sufficient in all cases so far and the society are hopeful that a better understanding of the requirements of the law will bring about the desired conditions, in a measure at least. The present president is W. J. Wayne.

ILLINOIS SWINE BREEDERS.

TAYLORVILLE, ILL., January 18. -The 11th annual meeting of the Illinois Swine Breeders' assocciation, closed last night with a banquet. The sime last evening, but the fog still following officers were elected for the ensuing year: R. Alexander of Charles, president; J. W. Ward of Mount Vernen, vice president; U. G. treasurer. Taylorville was selected as the permanent meeting place of the

EDITOR BOPPE DEAD.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., January 13. as the editor of the Freidenker, is dead, aged 57. Boppe was well known in Turner societies throughout the

Interested in Collseum.

The contractors of the city have seen notified by the coliseum committee that plans and bids for the build ing on next Tuesday evening these plans will be submitted to the committee, by the different contractors. An offer to take a liberal share of stock was made yesterday by some of the most conservative capitalists of the city, men that the committee were surprised to know were willing to put so much money into the building. The offer came with the stipulation that the building be erected according to their ideas of the bets building for the future good of the city. The meeting of next Tuesday evening will bring forth a number of developments in the work that will show a decided progress towards speedy finish of the oreliminaries

Our midwinter combination sale ill be held at the Culp & Dimock oarn January 23 Send in your ontries for live stock,

nggies, wagons, harness, etc. We offer the best accommodations, employ the best neutioneer, have the entry blanks or any other information address Ed. W. Hill & Co.

14, there is going to be a pie and Karl Walter, flate, Leo Heilbrun, coffee social served, the proceeds to violin, and Dr. Childs, cello, made go to defray the expenses of the local this part of the program one of the corps. Tickets 10 cents. All are in- features of the festival. No admission vited to attend. -12-2t

Bowling News.

Some of the members of the Goodman's band have organized a bowling team which is composed of the following: Mont Peniwell, Charles Housum, Y. Stafford of this city and is well Karl Walter, Tom Metz and Charles day night. The front door was splint-Ruelde,

> at Brinkmeyer's alleys. The Moguls of the door was entirely destroyed but won, scoring 1725 against 1398.

The Double Headers and the Moguls,

Country Revivals.

Revival meetings are in progress at a number of the small towns in the vicinity of Decatur, all of them being was injured on Thursday by a fall in the M. E. churches. Rev. Mr. which he received on the ice in front Omstead is holding meetings at Beth- of the High school building. In fallany, Rev. Mr. Edgar at Blue Mound ing his head struck the iron fence and Rev. Mr. Plowman has just con- which encloses the High school cluded a series of successful meetings grounds and a gash two inches in in the Decatur circuit. At Long Greek length was cut in his face. His nose there were 16 conversions and 14 new was also injured. He is on duty tomembers were added to the church. | day.

Death at Maroa.

Glenn, the only child of Mr. and Grape Nuts, the famous new food made The funeral will be held Friday from cors in the Oreana lodge. the Ridge church.

Macon Has the Orip.

There were 55 cases of grip in the ittle town of Macon last week. A number have developed this week, there being several new ones each day.

Mrs. McCielland Hostess.

Mrs. Silas E. McClelland entertained the Coffee club at her home at Millikin Place this afternoon.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of the Y. M. C. A. Was Held Last Evening.

J. S. BALDWIN PRESIDENT.

Before the Meeting

Began.

The annual business meeting of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. was held last evening at the association rooms. All members of the board were in attendance and the meeting was preceded by a banquet which was served at 6:30 o'clock by Mrs. Harry Patterson, Mrs. R. J. Simpson and Misses Alice Schlots and Maud Evans. After the banquet the last meeting

of the board was held and routine business transacted and then there was a general meeting of the members of the association, about 30 being pres

J. P. Eckles, W. C. Outten, J. W. Carter, Milton Johnson, Jr., J. G. Imboden, Dr. J. W. Sanders, H. B.

Informal talks followed, the work of the past year and that of the com-Woodbury of Loami, secretary and ing year being discussed. The condition of the association is now quite hopeful and the board intend to make the ensuing 12 months the best in the history of the association.

The following officers were elected by the board of directors on holding

their first meeting: President-J. S. Baldwin. Vice President-R. J. Simpson.

Treasurer-Milton Johnson, Jr. The members of the board then ad journed until the second Tuesday in

The work of remodeling the Y. M. C. A. rooms is now under way. The will not be long before the improvements are completed.

Crip Over the Country.

The epidemic of grip is sweeping the country. In every little village in the county the doctors are rushed night and day and are doing the greatest amount of business they have done for years. The symptoms are very much the same, but in several place! the disease seems to be more severe than it has been in Decatur. There daily on the increase. The dector say that the more serious cases are al most always the result of undue ex posure and lack of proper care and precaution after the first symptoms have shown thomselves. A citizen who does a great deal of work over the county said today that he thought he was safe in saying that 40 per cent of the population of the county was ill with colds and the grip.

Festival at St. John's.

The choral factival which was given Joseph Grunwald and George Danston did their work in splendid style, the city. which was liberally appreciated by At the Salvation Army hall on Mer- the audience. The addition to the chant street Saturday night, January choir of Miss Jeanette Powers, violin. was charged but an offering was

Burglars at Macon

Burglars attempted to break into the hardware and grocery store of Beschle & Gibson of Macon on Tuesered and showed plainly the marks of the crow bar which had been used in two Wabash teams, played last night trying to break the hinges. One panel the marauders stopped just short of The second team of the Wheelmen's success and it is thought that they club defeated the members of the elec- were frightened away. There is no trie light team last night. They won clue but it is generally believed that home talent was largely concerned in the work.

Brilley Injured.

Pete Brilley of the street car line

J. B. Dinges, the district deputy, Mrs. J. E. Parker died Wednesday last night installed officers in the K. ble food, and it is worth ones while to evening of contraction of the bowels, of P. lodge at Argenta and on next observe how the little folks take to after an illness of only a few hours. Tuesday evening will install the offi-

BOARD OF

Decatur, Ill., Jan Present: Messrs. Day barger, James F. Roach a E. A. Gastman. Absen Minuie P. Hostetler.

The minutes of the last were approved. The treasurer's report for the

The superintendent's report of the tuition was examined and accepted. The following bills were ordered

Henderson Bros., \$7.85. A. Miller, \$3.87.

Abel Carpet & Wall Paper Co. \$1.90. Decatur Gas and Electric Co., \$3, 12. Decatur Plumbing and Heating Co., A. J. Wallace, \$4.75.

Eva Myers, \$5. Eagle Pencil Co., \$11.25. Decatur Lumber and Mfg. Co., \$26. Ferguson, Nicholson Co., \$2.18. Morehouse & Wells Co., \$1.15. George S. Lyon & Sons, 99 cents. Palace King Hardware Co., \$3.05. John Salzman, \$1.

E. A. Gastman, superintendent, Central Union Telephone Co., \$49.50.

Minnie P. Hostetler, \$8.50. The superintendent was authorized

to purchase mats for the schools. The resignation of Miss Mabel C. Gale of the High school to take effect February 24, 1899, was read and accepted, and on the recumendations of the superintendent and the principal of the High school, Arthur Patton, a graduate of the Normal University

and of Swathmore college, was elected

to fill the vacancy. On motion adjourned. D. S. Shellabarger, President. E. A. Gastman, Clerk.

THE STAGE.

"MONEY TO BURN" TONIGHT. The two Macks in the new farce comedy, "Money to Burn," which is to be presented here at the Grand tonight is meeting with tremendous success and is causing more laughter than any other similar organization has in partitions are being torn down and it years. The story of the comedy is interesting. The audience are kept in convulsions through the entire play; and the specialties, beautiful scenery and funny situations, send them home laughing for a week. The Lyman Twins, seen here with the Holden Comedy company, are features. INGERSOLL.

The Colonel will give his lecture on Superstition" at the Grand Monday

vening, January 26.

Will Discuss School Libraries. Miss Katherine Sharp, who is at the head of the library department of the state university, will be present at the teachers' meeting at the High school on Saturday, January 28, and will give her paper on "Libraries in Public Schools," which she gave at the state teachers' association in Springfield during the holidays. Those who heard Miss Sharp's paper at that time pronounce it one of the most excellent discussions they have ever heard on the subject and the teachers are anticipating it with a great deal

A committee consisting of Mrs. at St. John's church last evening was Virgil N. Hostetler and Misses Louise best buyers in attendance and on good fairly well attended. The music was Gastman and Grace Moore of the stock will secure the best prices. For of the highest order and the soloists, High school faculty, were appointed Misses Gussie Gorin, Henriotta Cozad, by Mr. Gastman yesterday to entertain Miss Sharp during her stay in

The Fritz Stock.

The J. B. Fritz stock of groceries at the corner of Green and Union streets is in charge of a brother of the missing proprietor, and the clerk, Everett Ehrhardt. No news of the where abouts of Mr. Fritz. There appear to be some claims against Fritz, but the creditors feel secure and will doubtless receive dollar for dollar. The mystery attached to the disappearance of Fritz deepens. Diligent search is being made for him.

Judge and Mrs. McCauley Appointed The many friends and acquaintances of Judge and Mrs. McCauley of Olney, Ill., will be pleased to hear that the judge has been appointed superintendent of the Soldiers' Orphans' Home at Normal, and Mrs. McCauley made matron of the institution. Mrs. Mc-Cauley is past department resident of the Woman's Relief Corps.

The Macon County Humane Society The annual meeting of the Macon County Humane society will be held at the office of W. R. Bresie, Friday ovening at 7:30 o'clock.

There will be election of officers and every member is urged to be present. Edwin Park, Secretary.

Continental Limited Calondars. One of the finest calendars that has seen sent out this year is the new

Continental Limited," which C. A. Pollock of the Wabash is distributing. They are especially artistic and original resembling the much sought for platinam finish and with the designs is raised figures of white.



Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

VERDICT:

Louis A. Cle tentiary 1

Decision was "Gu Jurymen Vote Smiled o

Louis A. Clevenger m years in the penitentiary for killing Bay Telfore Ford, northeast of this 81, 1898. The case went to evening and the verdict this morning at 9:30 o'c'

It was understood this the jury had reached a was awaiting the plea court. Quite a large nu tators gathered in the co most all of the attorneys

Prisoner Ari court room by Sheriff Deputy Wilson. He to seat at the table used by ger said that he was with the work of his said he thought they l The case well and seeme dent that he would no very great punishment. of the opinion that he quitted. He did not sho

ness and conducted him Trying Mon The few minutes that ook his seat must ha ones for him. He k short time his fate known, but he exhibit markable self contro showed when he was there was talk of a pa the jail to lynch him been his manner thro

confinement and trial. motions in other cases while this business w neted Bailiff Frank the jury into the cours The Ver

the face of every one R C. Ringland was he handed the verdict When Judge Vail ha other business he said see what the jury ha opened the verdict and self and then aloud.

"We, the jury, find guilty of murder as indictment and fix his confinement in the pe years. ''

"So say you all, quired Judge Vail. swered in the affirm were then excused, to rest of the panel.

Clevenger : Attorney Borchers Clevenger at the table head and said to the p

the lawyer: "It me to serve it.

L will be an old ma tentiary he would be sentence to be made

It is not unlikely t a new trial will be torneys for the defen positively.

How They It is understood